Crochet World®
presents

SPRING 2012 • Crochet-World.com

Scrap Crochet!

Afghans, caps, scarves, socks, bookmarks & MUCH MORE!

Great ideas to use up scrap yarn!

50 Nifty SCRAP projects to crochet

DISPLAY UNTIL APRIL 6, 2012
$9.99
0 09128 47070 2 03

50 Nifty SCRAP projects to crochet

SPRING 2012

Find us on the Web at **Crochet-World.com**

FOR THE LITTLE ONES

8 Caterpillar Crossing

10 Cotton Candy

12 Cupcake Purse With Chef Bear

14 Lullaby Afghan

16 Crayon-Box Blanket

20 Loop-Trim Hat & Purse Sets

22 Pony Rattle

24 Sweetheart Baby Booties

26 Baby Moccasins

27 Ballet Shoe Booties

SCRAPINISTA FASHIONS

30 Saucy Scrap Scarf

31 Cami Neckline Cover-Up

32 Flame Necklace

34 Pineapples

35 Hat With Flair

36 Blue Wrap

38 Waves of Color Cowl

39 Granny Square Scarf

40 Rumba Ruffles Scarf

42 Mandarin-Style Jacket

44 Lacy Shells Sweatshirt

BITS & PIECES

48 Granny Square Booties

50 Unisex Cloche

51 Ponytail Hats

52 Keep Smiling Tissue Cover

54 Beaded Coasters

57 Jar Toppers

58 Isla

61 Cat Fishing Pole

62 Colorful Wrap

63 Pet Blankets

64 Glass Cozies

66 Sunflower Bookmark

67 Dressed-Up Scrubbies

68 Simple Slippers

70 Easy Pompom Flip-Flops

HOME SWEET HOME

74 Star Pot Holders

76 Dishbottle Apron

78 Hot Pads

80 Cushy Puff-Stitch Throw Rug

82 Scaredy-Cat Doorstop

84 Flying Shells Dishcloth

85 Butterfly Bag Holder

SCRAP AFGHANS

89 Vibrant Stripes Sampler Throw

92 Hexagonal Motif Lap Robe

94 Dreamer's Throw

96 Eye Dazzler Afghan

99 Rainbow Stripe Afghan

101 Slanted Stripes Afghan

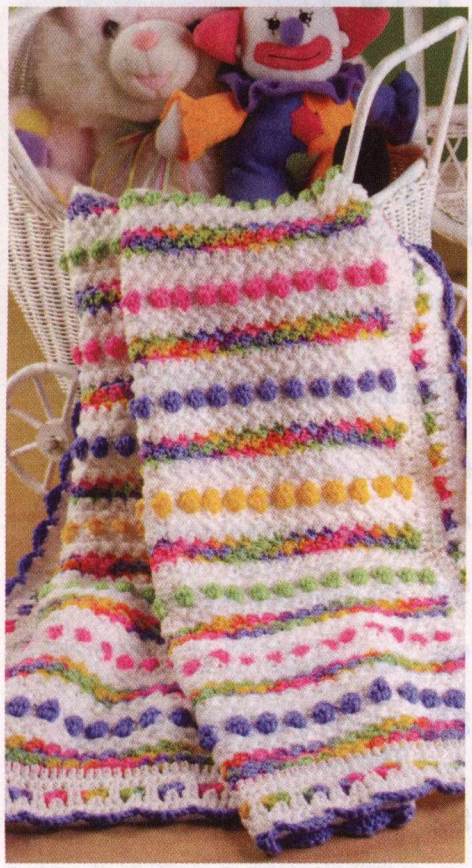
102 Scrap Afghan

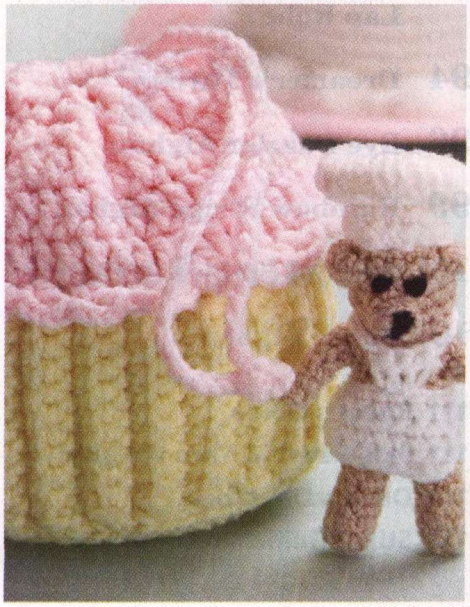
111 Buyer's Guide

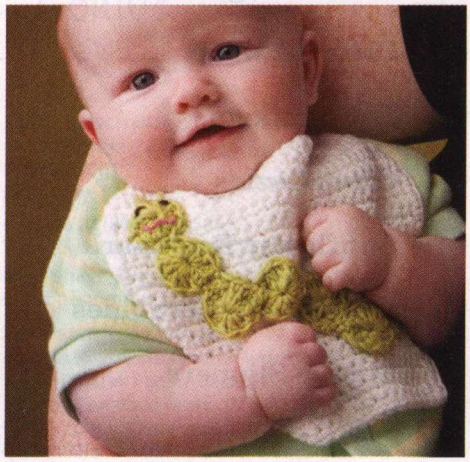
111 Skill Levels & Yarn Weights

112 Design Directory

114 Stitch Guide







For the Little Ones

Caterpillar Crossing

Design by Beverly Mewhorter

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

6½ x 8½ inches, excluding Ties

FINISHED GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Chest: 22 [24] inches

Hat circumference: 16 [18] inches

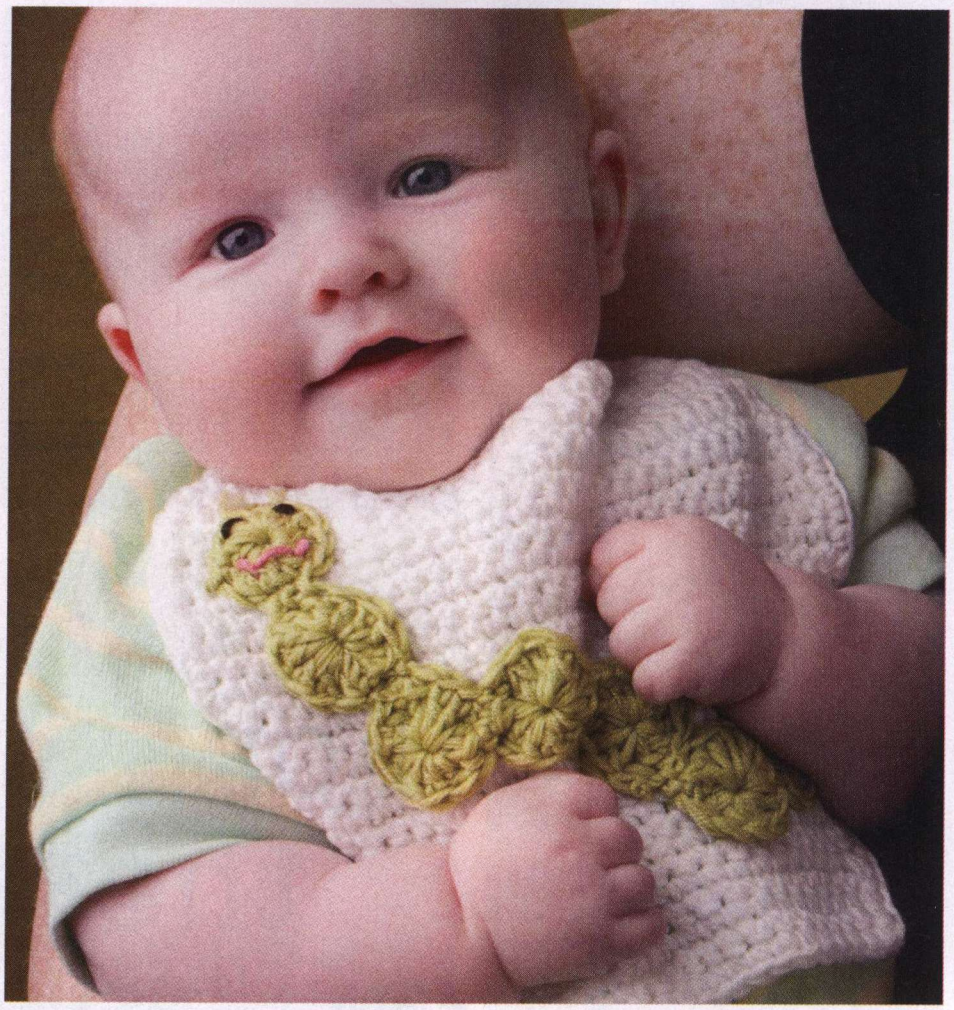
MATERIALS

- Red Heart Smoothie medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/218 yds/100g per skein):
  - 2 skeins #4390 white
  - ¾ oz/47 yds/21g #4393 lime
  - ¼ oz/16 yds/7g each #4394 black and #4391 pink
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

8 sc = 2 inches; 5 sc rows = 1 inch



BIB

Row 1: Starting at top, with white, ch 33, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each ch across, turn. *(32 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 3–16: Rep row 2.

Row 17: Ch 1, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in first 2 sts, sc in each st across to last 2 sts, sc dec in last 2 sts, turn. *(30 sts)*

Rows 18–29: [Rep rows 2 and 17 alternately] 6 times. *(18 sc at end of last row)*

Rnd 30: Now working in rnds, working around outer edge, ch 1, sc in end of each row and in each st around with 2 sc in each corner, join with sl st in first sc. Fasten off.

TIE

Make 2.

With white, ch 62, hdc in 3rd ch from hook, hdc in each rem ch across. Fasten off.

Sew end of one Tie to each top corner of Bib.

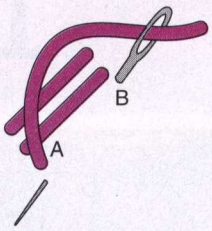
CATERPILLAR SECTION

Make 7.

With green, ch 4, 11 dc in 4th ch from hook *(beg 3 sk chs count as first dc)*, join with sl st in top of beg 3 sk chs. Fasten off. *(12 dc)*

FINISHING

With black, using **straight stitch** *(see illustration)*, embroider eyes to top half of one Section ¼ inch apart as shown in photo. With pink, using straight stitch, embroider mouth over bottom half of same Section as eyes.



Straight Stitch

Using lime, sew all Sections tog and sew assembled Sections to front of Bib as shown.

For antennae, with green and tapestry needle, *insert needle from back to front in one st on top side of head as shown in photo, insert needle from front to back to front around st 1 inch above head, insert needle from front to back in same stitch on head*, sk next st to left on head, rep between * in next st. Secure and fasten off. CW

Make mealtime fun with this adorable caterpillar bib.

Cotton Candy

Design by Carol Alexander

SKILL LEVEL

BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZE

41 x 55 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  27 oz/1,350 yds/765g white
  8 oz/400 yds/227g variegated
  3 oz/150 yds/85g each lime, pink, periwinkle and yellow
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

4 shells = 2 inches; 4 shell rows = 1½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Alternate in following order for cluster rows: periwinkle, pink, lime and yellow.

If adjusting Afghan size, beginning chain must be a multiple of 2 plus 3.

When working cluster rows, carry unused color across top of stitches until needed. Drop and fasten off cluster color at end of cluster row.

Join with slip stitch as indicted unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: (Sc, dc) in indicated st.

Cluster (cl): Holding back last lp of each st on hook, 4 dc as indicated, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

Beginning corner half double crochet shell (beg corner hdc shell): Ch 2 *(counts as first hdc)*, (2 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in corner ch sp.

Corner half double crochet shell (corner hdc shell): (3 hdc, ch 2, 3 hdc) in corner sp.

Half double crochet shell (hdc shell): (2 hdc, ch 1, 2 hdc) in indicated st.

Beginning double crochet shell (beg dc shell): Ch 3 *(counts as first dc)*, (dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same ch sp.

Double crochet shell (dc shell): (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in same ch sp.

AFGHAN

BODY

Row 1 (RS): Beg at bottom edge with variegated, ch 121, **shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in 3rd ch from hook, [sk next ch, shell in next ch] across, turn. *(60 shells)*

Row 2: Ch 2, shell in sc of each shell across, turn.

Row 3: Rep row 2, **change color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to white in last st at end of row, turn. Fasten off variegated.

Rows 4–6: Rep row 2.

Row 7: Ch 2, sc in first sc, **change to color for cl** *(see Pattern Notes)*, **cl** *(see Special Stitches)* in next st, change to white, ch 1, [sc in each of next 2 sts, change to color for cl, cl in next st, change to white, ch 1] across, ending with sc in beg ch, drop and fasten off cl color, turn. *(40 cls)*

Row 8: Ch 2, sk first sc, sc in ch-1 sp, [sc in each of next 2 sc, sc in ch-1 sp] across, ending with sc in last sc and in beg ch, turn.

Note: *Push all cls to RS of Afghan.*

Row 9: Ch 2, shell in 2nd sc, [sk next sc, shell in next sc] across, turn. *(18 shells)*

Rows 10 & 11: Rep row 2. At end of last row, change to variegated.

Rows 12–14: Rep row 2. At end of last row, change to white.

Rows 15–17: Rep row 2. At end of last row, fasten off.

Next rows: Join *(see Pattern Notes)* white at beg of last row, [rep rows 7–17 consecutively] 12 times, ending last rep with row 14. At end of last row, fasten off.

Last cl row will be in periwinkle to correspond to first cl row.

BORDER

Note: *Work sts evenly spaced on this rnd to keep edges flat and number of sts between opposite sides the same.*

Rnd 1: Join white in any corner of Afghan, **beg dc shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in same place, *dc evenly sp across to next corner**, **dc shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in corner, rep from * 3 times, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 2: Sl st in next dc, sl st in corner ch-2 sp, beg dc shell in same ch sp, *dc in each dc across to next corner**, dc shell in corner sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Note: *On the following rnd 3, adjust spacing of sts as needed when working between brackets to accommodate st sequence, keeping number of shells between opposite sides equal.*

Rnd 3: Join variegated in any corner ch-2 sp, **beg corner hdc shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in same ch sp, *sk next dc, sl st in next dc,

Continued on page 104

Babies will love the bright colors in this enchanting afghan as well as the polka-dot texture from rows of cluster stitches.

Cupcake Purse With Chef Bear

Design by Kathleen Stuart

This cute little chef bear will travel around town in his special drawstring cupcake purse!

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Purse: Approximately 5 inches tall
Bear: Approximately 4½ inches tall

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 4 MEDIUM
  3 oz/150 yds/85g each yellow and pink
- Fine (sport) weight yarn:
  ¼ oz/23 yds/7g tan and white
  2 yds black
- Sizes F/5/3.75mm and G/6/4mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

With size G hook and medium-weight yarn: 4 sc = 1 inch
With size F hook and fine-weight yarn: 6 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Piece is worked in continuous rounds. Do not join or turn unless otherwise stated.

Mark beginning of each round.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

PURSE

CUPCAKE BASE

Rnd 1: With yellow, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes)*. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 7: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(42 sc)*

Rnd 8: [Sc in each of next 6 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(48 sc)*

Rnd 9: [Sc in each of next 7 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times, **turn**. *(54 sc)*

CUPCAKE TOP

Row 1 (RS): Ch 11, sc in **back lp** *(see Stitch Guide)* of 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 9 chs, sc in back lp of each of next 2 sc of rnd 9, turn.

Row 2: Sk next 2 sc, sc in back lp of each of next 10 sts, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in back lp of each of next 10 sts, sc in back lp of each of next 2 sc of rnd 9, turn.

Rows 4–53: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately] 20 times.

Row 54: Sk next 2 sc, working in back lps of rows 1 and 53 **at same time**, sl st in each of next 10 sts. Fasten off.

FROSTING

Rnd 1: Join pink with sc in end of row 54, sc in end of each row, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in joining sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, working in back lps, dc in each dc around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in each dc around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnds 4 & 5: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 6: *Ch 3, sk next dc, sc in next dc, rep from * around, join in joining sl st. Fasten off.

RUFFLE

Join pink with sc in **front lp** *(see Stitch Guide)* of any sc, ch 3, dc in same sc, sk next sc, *(sc, ch 3, dc) in next sc, sk next st, rep from * around, join in joining sc. Fasten off.

TIE

Make 2.

With pink, ch 80. Fasten off.

Beg at side of Purse, weave one Tie through rnd 6 of Frosting. Tie ends together in knot.

Weave second Tie in same manner beg at opposite side. Tie ends in knot.

BEAR

HEAD & BODY

Rnd 1: With tan, ch 2, 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes). (5 sc)*

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. *(10 sc)*

Rnd 3: Sc in next sc, *sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(13 sc)*

Rnd 4: Sc in each of next 2 sc, (sc, hdc, dc, hdc, sc) in **front lp** *(see Stitch Guide)* of next st *(ear)*, sc in both lps of each of next 5 sc, (sc, hdc, dc, hdc, sc) in front lp of next sc *(ear)*, sc in both lps of each of next 4 sc.

Rnd 5: Sc in each of next 2 sts, working behind ear, sc in unused lp of next st on rnd 3, sc in each of next 5 sts, working behind ear, sc in unused lp of next st on rnd 3, sc in each of last 4 sts. *(13 sc)*

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around. *(13 sc)*

Rnd 7: ***Sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts, rep from * 5 times, sc in next sc. *(7 sc)*

***Note:** Stuff Head with fiberfill.*

Rnd 8: Working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, 2 sc in each sc around. *(14 sc)*

Rnd 9: 2 sc in each sc around. *(28 sc)*

Rnd 10: Sc in each of next 4 sc, sk next 6 sc *(armhole)*, sc in each of next 8 sts, sk next 6 sc *(armhole)*, sc in each of next 4 sc. *(16 sc)*

Rnds 11–13: Sc in each sc around. At end of last rnd, **do not fasten off**.

***Note:** Stuff Body with fiberfill.*

FIRST LEG

Rnd 1: Sc in each of next 8 sc, join in first sc.

Rnd 2: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 3–7: Rep rnd 2. Leaving 8-inch end, fasten off.

2ND LEG

Rnd 1: Join tan with sc in next sc on rnd 13, sc in each of rem 7 sc. *(8 sc)*

Rnds 2–7: Rep rnds 2–7 of First Leg.

***Note:** Stuff Legs with fiberfill.*

FINISHING

With tapestry needle and long end, form Leg and foot by folding bottom of Leg up and sewing tip of bottom to Leg.

FIRST ARM

Rnd 1: Join tan with sc in first unused sc of rnd 9, sc in each of next 5 sc. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 3–5: Rep rnd 2. Leaving 8-inch end, fasten off.

2ND ARM

Rnd 1: Join tan with sc in first rem unused sc of rnd 9, sc in each of next 5 sc. *(6 sc)*

Rnds 2–5: Rep rnds 2–5 of First Arm.

Weave yarn end through sc of rnd 5 and draw together.

MUZZLE

Rnd 1: With tan, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Working in back lps, sc in each sc around. Leaving 10-inch end, fasten off.

HAT

***Note:** Hat is worked in continuous rnds, do not join. Mark beg of rnds.*

Rnd 1: With white, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes). (6 sc)*

Rnd 2: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * twice. *(9 sc)*

Rnd 3: 3 dc in each sc around. *(27 dc)*

Rnd 4: *Sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * 13 times, sc in last dc. *(14 sc)*

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 6 & 7: Rep rnd 5. At end of rnd 7, leaving 7-inch end, fasten off.

APRON

Foundation ch: With white, ch 28. Fasten off.

Skirt

Row 1: Join white with sc in 11th ch of foundation ch, sc in each of next 7 chs. Leaving rem chs unworked, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 3–6: Rep row 2. Fasten off.

Bib

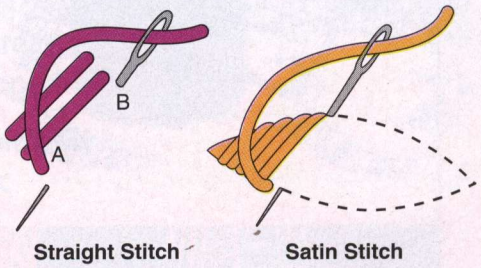
Row 1: Join white with sc in 14th ch of foundation ch, sc in each of next 2 chs, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each of next 3 sc, ch 16, place Apron on Bear, lp ch 16 around neck, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Tie beg ch around waist of Bear.

FINISHING

Step 1: With black, using **satin stitch** *(see illustration)*, embroider eyes and nose as shown in photo. Using **straight stitch** *(see illustration)*, embroider mouth.



Step 2: Sew Muzzle to Head.

Step 3: Sew Hat to Head. CW

Lullaby Afghan

Design by Joyce Nordstrom

The double-strand shells make this cozy afghan perfect for a toddler's nap time.

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 39 x 43 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 4 MEDIUM
  21 oz/1,050 yds/595g yellow
  14 oz/700 yds/397g assorted scrap colors
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

3 shells = 5 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Work with 2 strands held together unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Shell: ({Dc, ch 1} twice, dc) in indicated place.

AFGHAN

CENTER

Row 1 (RS): With 1 strand each yellow and scrap color held tog, ch 130, sc in 2nd ch from hook, *sk next 2 chs, **shell** *(see Special Stitch)* in next ch, sk next 2 chs, sc in next ch, rep from * across to last 3 chs, sk next 2 chs, (dc, ch 1, dc) in next ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, sk next ch-1 sp and next dc, *shell in next sc, sk next dc and next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, rep from * to last sc, (dc, ch 1, dc) in last sc, turn.

Note: *Yellow is used throughout. For rem rows, when changing scrap colors, work desired number of rows with 2 strands yellow held tog to separate color sections.*

Next rows: Rep row 2 until piece measures approximately 40 inches, ending with a RS row.

BORDER

Note: *On following rnd, adjust reps in order to have same number of sts along top and bottom and corresponding sides.*

Rnd 1 (RS): With 2 strands of yellow held tog, [sc in next st or in end of next row, ch 1, sk next st or row] around blanket, working (sc, ch 3, sc) in each corner, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 4 *(counts as first dc and ch-1 sp)*, *sk next sc, dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, rep from * around, working (dc, ch 3, dc) in each corner ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1, *sk next ch-1 sp and next dc, shell in next ch-1 sp, sk next dc and next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, rep from * around, working ({dc, ch 1} 4 times, dc) in each corner ch-3 sp, join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in all ends. CW

Crayon-Box Blanket

Design by Belinda "Bendy" Carter

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

34 inches square

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein):
  2 skeins #316 soft white
  1 skein each #390 hot red, #886 blue, #324 bright yellow, #254 pumpkin, #368 paddy green, #356 amethyst and #312 black
- Red Heart Classic medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (3½ oz/190 yds/100g per skein):
  1 skein #339 mid brown
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

10 sc = 4 inches; 12 sc rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

All Blocks are made with single crochet.

Top design is created by making chain-3 loops in specified places when working right-side rows. When working single crochet on wrong-side rows, chain-3 loops are pushed to the back of the work Do not work in spaces created by chain-3 loops. Chain-3 loops do not count as stitches.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

BLANKET

BLOCK NO. 1

Make 1 each paddy green & bright yellow.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 3, sc in next ch] 5 times, sc in each of next 5 chs, [ch 3, sc in next ch] 5 times, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 6 sts, [ch 3, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of last 5 sts, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 3, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 5 sc, [ch 3, sc in next st] 5 times, turn.

Rows 6–20: [Rep rows 2–5 consecutively for pattern] 4 times, ending last rep with row 4.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in rem lps of starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 2

Make 1 each pumpkin & mid brown.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 chs] 3 times, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of next 4 sc, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each of first 3 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of last 3 sc, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each of first 4 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of last 2 sc, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each of first 5 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in last sc, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] 3 times, turn.

Rows 12–20: Rep rows 2–10.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in rem lps of starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 3

Make 1 each mid brown & black.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 3, sc in each of next 4 chs] 3 times, ch 3, sc in each of last 2 chs, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 4 sc] 3 times, ch 3, sc in each of last 2 sc, turn.

Babies and toddlers are sure to love this vibrant blanket stitched in crayon colors.

Rows 4–20: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately for pattern] 9 times, ending last rep with row 2.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in rem lps of starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 4

Make 1 each bright yellow & hot red.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 3, sc in each of next 3 chs] 5 times, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 3 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 3 sc] 4 times, ch 3, sc in last st, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 3 sc] 5 times, turn.

Rows 6–20: [Rep rows 2–5 consecutively for pattern] 4 times, ending last rep with row 4.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 5

Make 1 each blue & hot red.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, *[ch 3, sc in next ch] 3 times**, sc in each of next 3 chs, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first sc, *[ch 3, sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in each of next 3 sc, rep from * once, [ch 3, sc in next sc] 3 times, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each of first 4 sc, *[ch 3, sc in next sc] 3 times, sc in each of next 3 sc, rep from * across, turn.

Rows 6 & 7: Rep rows 4 and 5.

Rows 8 & 9: Rep rows 2 and 3.

Rows 10–17: Rep rows 2–9.

Rows 18–20: Rep rows 2–4.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 6

Make 1 each amethyst & black.

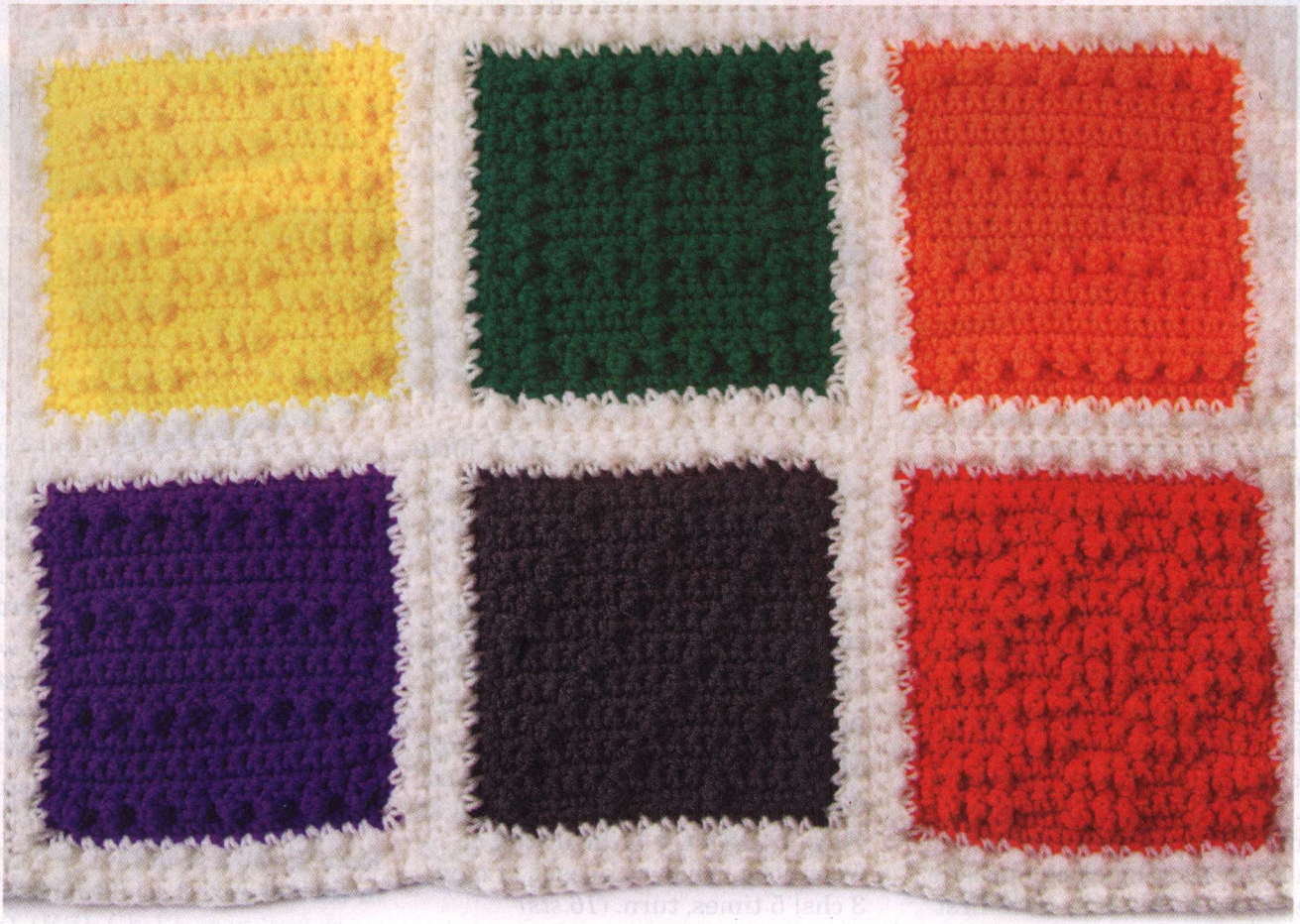
Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 4 chs, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 chs] twice, ch 3, sc in last ch, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 4 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of next 2 sc, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in each of first 3 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of next 3 sc, turn.



Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of next 4 sc, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in first sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] 3 times, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 11: Ch 1, sc in each of first 5 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 5 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in last sc, turn.

Rows 12–20: Rep rows 2–10.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 7

Make 1 each paddy green & blue.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, [ch 3, sc in each of next 2 chs] 7 times, turn. *(16 sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 6 sc] twice, ch 3, sc in each of last 2 sc, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 5 & 6: Rep rows 3 and 4.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sc, [ch 3, sc in each of next 2 sc] across, turn.

Rows 8–20: [Rep rows 2–7 consecutively] 3 times, ending last rep with row 2.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK NO. 8

Make 1 each pumpkin & amethyst.

Row 1 (RS): Ch 17, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 3, sc in each of next 2 chs] 7 times, turn. *(16 sts)*

Rows 2–6: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 3, sc in next st, [sc in next st, ch 3, sc in next st] across, turn.

Rows 8–20: [Rep rows 2–7 consecutively] 3 times, ending last rep with row 2.

Rnd 21: Now working in rnds, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first st, sc in each st across to last st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last st, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, working in starting ch on opposite side of row 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in first ch, sc in each ch across to last ch, (sc, ch 2, sc) in last ch, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 14 sc across, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(64 sc)*

BLOCK EDGING

Rnd 1: With RS facing, join soft white with sc in ch-2 sp at any corner, ch 2, sc in same ch-2 sp, *[ch 3, sc in each of next 2 sts] 8 times, ch 3**, (sc, ch 2, sc) in next corner ch-2 sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. *(72 sc)*

Rnd 2: Sl st in first corner ch-2 sp, **turn**, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same ch sp, *sc in each st across to next corner ch sp**, (sc, ch 2, sc) in corner ch sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc. Leaving long end, fasten off.

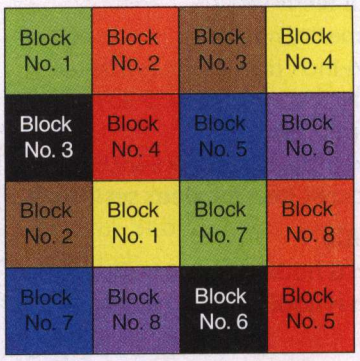
ASSEMBLY

Sew Blocks tog according to Assembly Diagram.

BLANKET EDGING

Rnd 1: With RS facing, join soft white with sc in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 2, sc in same corner ch sp, ◊*[ch 3, sc in each of next 2 sc] 10 times, ch 3**, sc in each of next 2 corner ch sps of joined Blocks, rep from * across to next corner ch-2 sp, ending last rep at **◊◊, (sc, ch 2, sc) in corner ch sp, rep from ◊ around, ending last rep at ◊◊, join in beg sc.

Rnd 2: Sl st in first corner ch-2 sp, **turn**, ch 1, (sc, ch 2, sc) in same ch-2 sp, sc in each st around with (sc, ch 2, sc) in each corner ch-2 sp, join in beg sc. Fasten off. CW



Crayon-Box Blanket
Assembly Diagram

Loop-Trim Hat & Purse Sets

Designs by **Cassandra Hennen**

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Instructions given fit child size; changes for teen size are in [ ].

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

Child's Hat: 8¼ inches in diameter
Child's Purse: 5¼ x 6 inches, excluding trim
Teen's Hat: 9 inches in diameter
Teen's Purse: 5½ inches x 6½ inches, excluding trim

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (solids: 7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein; prints: 5 oz/244 yds/141g per skein): 1 skein each #718 shocking pink and #786 candy print
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge (for child's set)
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge (for teen's set)
- Tapestry needle
- 3½-inch-diameter x 2-inch-tall plastic container for child's set (optional)
- 3½-inch-diameter x 5-inch-tall plastic container for teen's set (optional)

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

With G hook: 6 sts = 2 inches
With H hook: 5 sts = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Use size G hook for child's size and size H hook for teen's size unless otherwise stated.

Chain-2 at beginning of round counts as first half double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Create a clever hat and drawstring bag for girls of all ages.

HAT

Rnd 1: Starting at top of Hat with **size G [H] hook** *(see Pattern Notes)*, with candy print [shocking pink], ch 50, join in 50th ch from hook, being careful not to twist chs, **ch 2** *(see Pattern Notes)*, hdc in each rem ch around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(50 hdc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 2, hdc in each rem hdc, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnds 3–16: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 17: Ch 2, hdc in each rem hdc around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2, **change color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to shocking pink [candy print] by drawing lp through, cut candy print [shocking pink].

Rnd 18: With shocking pink [candy print], ch 2, working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, hdc in each rem hdc around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnds 19–21: Rep rnd 2. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Weave in all ends.

POMPOM

***Note:** Cut 48-inch length of shocking pink. Fold in half.*

Rnd 1: Hold piece with beg ch at top, make slip knot on hook and working over folded length of shocking pink [candy print], join with a sc in first unused lp of beg ch, working in rem unused lps of beg ch and continuing to work over folded length, sc in each rem lp around, join in joining sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 10, *sl st in next st, ch 10, rep from * around, join in joining sl st. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

FINISHING

To gather top of Hat, thread 1 free end of yarn length through lp at folded end of yarn, pull tight being careful not to break yarn. Tie knot. Weave in ends. Fluff ch-10 lps and fold edge of Hat up.

PURSE

Rnd 1: With candy print [shocking pink], ch 3, 7 hdc in 3rd ch from hook *(beg 2 sk chs count as first hdc)*, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 2nd ch of beg 2 sk chs. *(8 hdc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 2 *(see Pattern Notes)*, hdc in same ch as joining, 2 hdc in each rem hdc, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(16 hdc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 2, hdc in same ch as joining, 2 hdc in each rem hdc, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(32 hdc)*

Rnd 4: Ch 2, hdc in each rem hdc, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnd 5: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 6: Ch 2, working in **back lps,** *(see Stitch Guide),* hdc in each rem hdc, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnds 7–16: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 17: Ch 3 *(counts as first dc)*, dc in each rem hdc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Change to shocking pink [candy print] by drawing lp through, cut candy print [shocking pink].

Rnd 18: Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining and in each rem sc, join in first sc.

Rnd 19: Ch 10, *sl st in next st, ch 10, rep from * around, join in joining sl st. Fasten off.

Weave in all ends.

STRAP

With candy print [shocking pink], ch 42, hdc in 3rd ch from hook and in each rem ch to last ch, 3 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side in unused lps of beg ch, hdc in each lp to last lp, 2 hdc in last lp, join in 2nd ch of beg 2 sk chs.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

DRAWSTRING

With shocking pink [candy print], ch 51, sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

FINISHING

Step 1: Sew ends of Strap to inside of Purse opening.

Step 2: Weave Drawstring through over and under sts on rnd 17. Sew ends tog.

Step 3: (Optional) Place plastic container inside purse. CW

Pony Rattle

Design by Sheila Leslie

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

SIZE

7 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Fine (sport) weight yarn: ½ oz/45 yds/14g each white, pink, lavender, yellow and blue
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Polyester fiberfill
- Empty 35mm film canister, 4-inch circumference x 2 inches long OR small pill bottle 4¼-inch circumference x 3 inches long
- 2 (12mm) jingle bells

GAUGE

5 sc = 1 inch

This adorable pony rattle features an easy-grip handle and a face that will smile back at Baby.

RATTLE

HEAD

Note: *Head is worked in continuous rnds. Do not join unless specified; mark beg of rnds.*

Rnd 1: Starting at top with lavender, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Note). (6 sc)*

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 6 times. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 4: [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] 6 times. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc.

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc] 4 times. *(28 sc)*

Rnds 7–16: Rep rnd 5.

Rnd 17: [Sc in each of next 2 sc, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sc] 7 times. *(21 sc)*

Note: *Place bells inside canister. Wrap fiberfill around entire canister or pill bottle and insert in Head.*

Rnd 18: [Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sts] 3 times. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 19: [Sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times. *(12 sc)*

Stuff with fiberfill.

Rnd 20: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times, join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

MUZZLE

Note: *Muzzle is worked in continuous rnds. Do not join unless specified; mark beg of rnds.*

Rnds 1–3: With white, rep rnds 1–3 of Head.

Rnd 4: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 5 & 6: Rep rnd 4.

Rnd 7: Hdc in each of next 9 sc, sl st in next sc.

Leaving an 8-inch end, fasten off.

EAR

Make 2.

Row 1: With lavender, ch 4, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(3 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc dec in first 2 sc, sc in next sc, turn. *(2 sc)*

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc dec in 2 sts, turn. *(1 sc)*

Row 5: Ch 1, sl st in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

LEG

Make 4.

Note: *Leg is worked in continuous rnds. Do not join unless specified; mark beg of rnds.*

Rnds 1–3: Starting at bottom of Legs, with white, rep rnds 1–3 of Head.

Rnd 4: [2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc] 6 times, join in first sc. Fasten off. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: With blue, join in **back lp** *(see Stitch Guide)* of same sc as joining of previous rnd, working in back lps, sc in each rem sc around.

Rnd 6: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 7–9: Rep rnd 6.

Rnd 10: Sc in each sc, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 11: With yellow, join with a sc in same sc as joining of previous rnd, sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, *sc in each of next 4 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, rep from * around. *(20 sc)*

Rnds 12–15: Rep rnd 6.

Rnd 16: Sc in each sc, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 17: With pink, join with a sc in same sc as joining of previous rnd, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sts, [sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sts] 3 times. *(16 sc)*

Rnds 18–21: Rep rnd 6.

Rnd 22: Sc in each sc around, join in first sc.

Leaving 8-inch end, fasten off. Weave in end left at beginning of Leg.

FORELOCK

With white, [ch 16, sl st in 16th ch from hook] 4 times.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

MANE

With white, ch 19, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, *ch 6, sl st in next ch, rep from * across, working in unused lps on opposite side of beg ch, sl st in first lp, **ch 6, sl st in next lp, rep from ** across.

Leaving 8-inch end for sewing, fasten off. Weave in end left at beg of Mane.

TAIL

With white, ch 13, sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

STRAP

Row 1: With pink, ch 38, hdc in 3rd ch from hook *(beg 2 sk chs count as first hdc)* and in each rem ch, turn. *(36 hdc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, hdc in each hdc and in 2nd ch of beg 2 sk chs, turn.

Row 3: Fold piece in half lengthwise, working through both thicknesses **at same time** and working in back lps of row 3 and in unused lps of beg ch, sl st in each st across.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

FINISHING

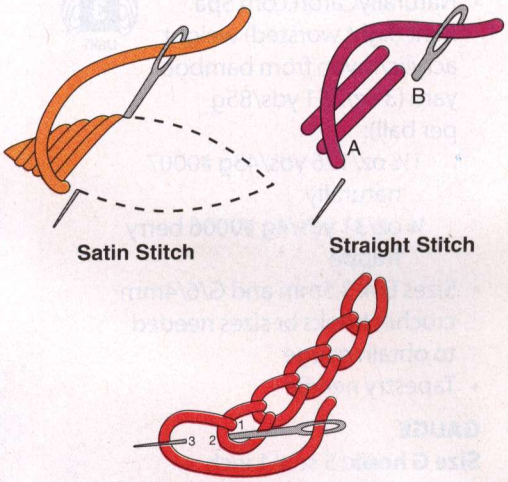
Step 1: Stuff Muzzle with fiberfill. With tapestry needle and white, sew Muzzle to Head with hdc of Muzzle at bottom and top of Muzzle at rnd 13 of Head.

Step 2: Referring to photo for placement, sew Ears to top of Head.

Step 3: Sew Forelock to top of Head between Ears.

Step 4: Sew Mane to back of Head along center of beg ch.

Step 5: With black, using **satin stitch** *(see illustration)*, stitch eyes over rnds 8–11 of Head and nostrils on Muzzle as shown in photo. With black, using **straight stitch** *(see illustration)*, stitch mouth lines on Muzzle. With white, using **chain stitch** *(see illustration)*, stitch "blaze" from Muzzle up to top of Head between eyes.



Step 6: Stuff Legs with fiberfill from bottom up to pink sections. Do not stuff pink sections. Weave 8-inch end through sts on last rnd and draw tight to close opening. Using rem length, sew 2 Legs tog at top and rep for 2nd pair. Referring to photo for placement, sew Head to tops of Legs. Tack back Legs tog at first pink rnd, then tack front Legs in same manner. Tack front Legs to rear Legs at each side.

Step 7: For Tail fringe, cut three 4-inch strands of white. Fold strands in half. Insert hook in st at end of Tail and pull fold part way through, pull strands through fold and tighten knot. Trim ends. Sew Tail between back Legs.

Step 8: Sew 1 end of Strap to each side of Head. CW

Sweetheart Baby Booties

Design by Sheila Leslie

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

4 inches long

MATERIALS

- NaturallyCaron.com Spa light (light worsted) weight acrylic/rayon from bamboo yarn (3 oz/251 yds/85g per ball):
  - 1½ oz/126 yds/43g #0007 naturally
  - ⅛ oz/31 yds/4g #0006 berry frappe
- Sizes E/4/3.5mm and G/6/4mm crochet hooks or sizes needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

3 LIGHT

GAUGE

Size G hook: 5 sc = 1 inch

Use lightweight yarn to stitch these sweet booties for Baby.

PATTERN NOTES

Sole is worked in continuous rounds. Do not join or turn unless otherwise stated. Mark beginning of each round.

When told to join, join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Weave in ends as work progresses.

BOOTIE

Make 2.

SOLE

Rnd 1 (RS): With G hook and naturally, ch 13, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 7 chs, hdc in each of next 3 chs, 5 hdc in next ch, working in unused lps on opposite side of beg ch, hdc in each of next 3 lps, sc in each of next 8 lps, 2 sc in next lp, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes)*. *(30 sts)*

Rnd 2: Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 7 sts, hdc in each of next 5 sts, 2 hdc in each of next 3 sts, hdc in each of next 3 sts, sc in each of next 8 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st. *(35 sts)*

Rnd 3: Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 7 sts, hdc in each of next 6 sts, 2 hdc in each of next 3 sts, hdc in each of next 4 sts, sc in each of next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in next st. *(40 sts)*

Rnd 4: Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 12 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] twice, [sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st] twice, sc in each of next 10 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in first sc. Fasten off. *(46 sts)*

INSTEP

Row 1 (RS): With naturally, ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(6 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 3–8: Rep row 2.

Row 9: Ch 1, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in first 2 sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 sc. Fasten off. *(4 sc)*

SIDES

Rnd 1: Hold Instep with RS facing, join naturally with sc in side of row 1 of Instep, working in ends of rows, sc in each of next 8 rows, working across row 9, 2 sc in first sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, working across next side in ends of rows, sc in each of next 9 rows, ch 22. *(24 sts, 1 ch-22)*

Rnd 2: Working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, sc in each of next 24 sc of rnd 1, sc in each of next 22 chs. *(46 sts)*

Rnd 3: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 4: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 5: Sc in each sc around, join in first sc. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY

Join Sides to Sole as follows: Hold Sides and Sole with WS tog and Sides on top, with G hook and naturally and beg at narrow end of sole, sl st around, working in back lps of both pieces **at same time**, join in first sl st.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

CUFF

Rnd 1: Hold piece with center back of heel facing, with G hook, join naturally with sc in 11th unused lp of ch-22 of Sides, working in rem unused lps of ch-22, sc in each of next 9 lps, sc dec in next lp and in first unused lp of beg ch-6 on Instep, working in rem unused lps of ch-6, sc in each of next 4 lps, sc dec in next unused lp and in next unused lp of ch-22 of Sides, working in rem unused lps of ch-22, sc in each of next 10 lps. *(26 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 3 *(counts as first dc)*, dc in each rem sc around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, **fpdc** *(see Stitch Guide)* around post of same beg ch-3 and around each rem dc, join in first fpdc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, fpdc around each fpdc, join in first fpdc. Fasten off.

Rnds 5 & 6: Rep rnd 4. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Weave in all ends.

HEART

Row 1: With E hook and berry frappe, ch 3, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in next ch, turn. *(2 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc around, turn. *(4 sc)*

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, turn.

Row 4: Ch 2, hdc in first sc, (dc, hdc, sl st) in next sc, (sl st, ch 2, hdc) in next sc, (dc, hdc, sl st) in next sc, working across next side in ends of rows, sl st in each of next 2 rows, working in unused lps on opposite side of beg ch-3, sl in first lp, ch 1, sl st in next lp, working across next side in ends of rows, sl st in end of each row across. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

FINISHING

Tack Heart to top of each Instep. CW

Baby Moccasins

Design by Ann Parnell

SKILL LEVEL

EXPERIENCED

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit infant 0–3 months; changes for 3–6 months and 6–9 months are in [ ].

MATERIALS

- Fine (sport) weight yarn: 1½ oz/135 yds/43g blue ½ oz/45 yds/14g white
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

2 FINE

GAUGE

11 hdc = 2 inches; 4 hdc rows = 1 inch

Every little papoose needs a pair of baby moccasins, stitched using fine-weight yarn.

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

MOCCASIN

BODY

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Starting at sole, with blue, ch 12 [14, 16], hdc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in each of next 9 [11, 13] chs, 5 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side of ch, hdc in each of next 9 [11, 13] chs, 5 hdc in last ch, **join** *(see Pattern Note)* in beg hdc. *(29 [33, 37] hdc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hdc in each of first 11 [13, 15] sts, 2 hdc in each of next 4 sts *(toe)*, hdc in each of next 11 [13, 15] sts, 2 hdc in each of last 3 sts *(heel)*, join in beg hdc. *(36 [40, 44] hdc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, hdc in each of first 13 [15, 17] sts, 2 hdc in each of next 5 sts, hdc in each of next 14 [16, 18] sts, 2 hdc in each of last 4 sts, join in beg hdc. *(45 [49, 53] hdc)*

Rnd 4: Working this rnd in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, ch 1, hdc in each st around, join in beg hdc.

Rnds 5 & 6: Ch 1, hdc in each st around, join in beg hdc. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Beading row: Now working in rows, fold Moccasin in half lengthwise with WS tog, sk next 32 [35, 38] sts following fold, join blue with sc in next st, ch 1, dc in each of next 21 [23, 25] sts, ch 2, sl st in next st, leaving rem sts unworked for toe, fasten off. *(21 [23, 25] dc)*

VAMP

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With blue, ch 7 [9, 11], hdc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in each of next 4 [6, 8] chs, 5 hdc in last ch, working on opposite side of ch, hdc in each of next 4 [6, 8] chs, 5 hdc in last ch, join in first hdc. *(19 [23, 27] hdc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hdc in first st, *hdc in each of next 6 [8, 10] sts, 2 hdc in each of next 3 sts, rep from * around, join in beg hdc. Fasten off. *(25 [29, 33] hdc)*

ASSEMBLY

Hold Vamp and toe on Body WS tog, working through both thicknesses, join white with sc in first unworked st on rnd 6 of Moccasin and in 8th [9th, 10th] st of Vamp, sc in each of next 6 [7, 8] sts, [working through both thicknesses, sc in next st, working through thicknesses separately, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next st on toe and in last worked st on Vamp] 4 times, working through both thicknesses, sc in each of next 7 [8, 9] sts, working in sts on Vamp only, sc in each of next 7 [9, 11] sts, join in first sc. Fasten off.

TIE

Make 2.

With white, ch 65, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sl st in each ch across. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave 1 Tie through sts on beading row of 1 Moccasin, pull ends through back side of Vamp to front on each side of rnd 1.

Tie in bow.

Rep on rem Moccasin. CW

Ballet Shoe Booties

Design by **Margie Armstrong**

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Newborn

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: ½ oz/25 yds/14g pink
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- 1 yd pink ¼-inch-wide satin ribbon

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

4 sc = 1 inch; 4 sc rows = 1 inch

Stitch a pair of ballet shoes for your new little ballerina.

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

BOOTIE

Make 2.

Rnd 1: Ch 11, sc in 2nd ch from hook, hdc in each of next 8 chs, 3 hdc in last ch, working in rem lps on opposite side of ch, hdc in each of next 8 chs, 2 sc in last ch, **join** *(see Pattern Note)* in beg sc. *(19 hdc, 3 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in each of first 10 sts, 3 sc in next st *(toe)*, sc in each of last 11 sts, join in beg sc. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 3: Working this rnd in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each of first 9 sts, [**sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts] 3 times, sc in each of last 9 sts, join in beg sc. *(21 sc)*

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each of first 10 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of last 9 sts, join in beg sc. *(20 sc)*

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in each of first 9 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, sc in each of last 9 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(19 sc)*

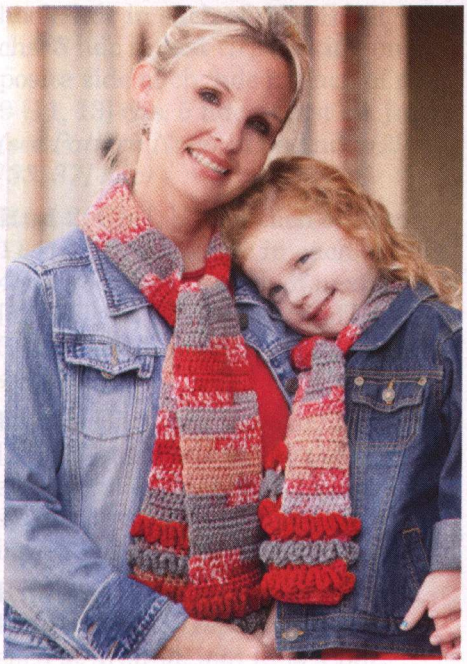
FINISHING

Cut ribbon in half.

Starting at front, weave 1 piece through sts on last rnd.

Tie in bow at front.

Rep with rem piece of ribbon on other Bootie. CW



Scrapinista Fashions

Saucy Scrap Scarf

Design by **Mary Ann Frits**

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 5¾ x 66 inches

MATERIALS

- NaturallyCaron.com Country medium (worsted) weight acrylic/merino wool yarn (3 oz/185 yds/85g per ball): 1½ oz/93 yds/43g each #0002 coral lipstick, #0003 soft sunshine, #0004 green sheen, #0005 ocean spray, #0006 berry frappe and #0007 naturally
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

9 sc = 2 inches; 5 rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Use Caron OR other scrap yarn in desired order.

SCARF

Row 1 (RS): With first scrap color, ch 27, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(26 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, **changing color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to 2nd scrap color in last sc, turn. Fasten off previous color.

Rows 3–7: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to naturally in last sc of row 7, turn.

Rows 8 & 9: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 10–14: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Continued on page 110

Stitch a scarf of many colors to liven up your wardrobe.

Cami Neckline Cover-Up

Design by **Debra Arch**

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

5¼ x 1114 inches

MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet size 10 crochet cotton (400 yds per ball):
  85 yds #1 white
- Sizes 00/2.70mm and 7/1.65mm steel crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge

0 LACE

GAUGE

Size 00 hook: 4 shells = 3 inches; 4 shell rows = 1 inch

For necklines that are a bit too daring, this super easy camisole fill-in is the perfect accessory for a modest solution!

PATTERN NOTES

This cover-up ties onto bra straps for coverage under low-cut tops and sweaters.

If you need less width between bra straps, work fewer rows on rows 4–15 before continuing on with row 16 of pattern. If you need less length, work fewer rows on rows 16–21.

If you need more width between bra straps, add more rows on rows 4–15 before continuing on with row 16 of pattern. If you need more length, work more rows on rows 16–21 until you have achieved the desired length.

Chain-4 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning shell (beg shell): Ch 4 *(see Pattern Notes)*, 4 dc in same place as beg ch-4.

Shell: 5 dc in place indicated in instructions.

COVER-UP

BODY

Row 1: With size 00 hook, ch 5, 4 dc in 5th ch from hook *(beg 4 sk chs count as first dc)*, turn.

Row 2: Beg shell *(see Special Stitches)* in first st, sk next 3 sts, **shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in last st, turn. *(2 shells)*

Row 3: Beg shell in first st, shell in sp between shells, shell in last st, turn. *(3 shells)*

Rows 4–15: Beg shell in first st, shell in each sp between shells across, shell in last st, turn. *(15 shells at end of last row)*

Rows 16–21: Beg shell in first st, shell in each sp between shells across, sl st in center dc of last shell, turn. At end of last row, fasten off.

TIES

With size 7 hook, ch 40, sc in center dc of shell on 1 end of last row, ch 40. Fasten off.

Rep on other end of last row. CW

Flame Necklace

Design by Jenny King

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

22 inches long

MATERIALS

- Ribbon/novelty yarn small enough to thread size 6/0 seed beads: 25g orange
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook
- Size 10/1.15mm steel crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Big-eye beading needle
- ¾-inch plastic rings: 2
- Size 6/0 seed beads: 204
- 1 magnetic clasp

GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in all ends as work progresses.

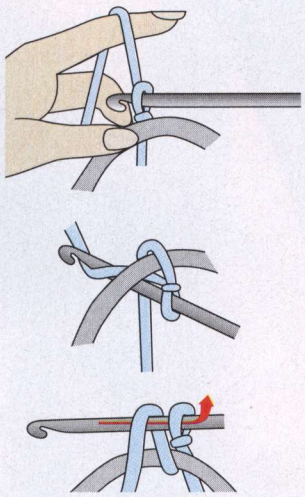
Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

NECKLACE

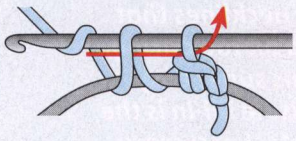
Note: *Thread all beads on yarn before beginning project.*

With size E hook, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* yarn around first plastic ring, 10 sc in ring, ch 10, change to size 10 steel hook, sc in hole in end of 1 magnetic clasp, change to size E hook, ch 10, 10 sc in ring.

Strand 1: Ch 2, slide bead close to hook, [ch 3, slide bead close to hook] 49 times, ch 2, 2 sc in 2nd plastic ring, turn.



Slip Stitch Around Ring



Single Crochet in Ring

Strand 2: Ch 9, slide bead close to hook, [ch 10, slide bead close to hook] 14 times, ch 9, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 3: Ch 19, slide bead close to hook, [ch 20, slide bead close to hook] 6 times, ch 19, 2 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 4: Ch 14, slide bead close to hook, [ch 15, slide bead close to hook] 9 times, ch 15, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 5: Ch 9, slide bead close to hook, [ch 10, slide bead close to hook] 14 times, ch 9, 2 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 6: Ch 4, slide bead close to hook, [ch 5, slide bead close to hook] 29 times, ch 4, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 7: Ch 19, slide bead close to hook, [ch 20, slide bead close to hook] 6 times, ch 20, 2 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 8: Ch 14, slide bead close to hook, [ch 15, slide bead close to hook] 9 times, ch 14, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 9: Ch 19, slide bead close to hook, [ch 20, slide bead close to hook] 6 times, ch 20, 2 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 10: Ch 5, slide bead close to hook, [ch 7, slide bead close to hook] 20 times, ch 7, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 11: Ch 14, slide bead close to hook, [ch 15, slide bead close to hook] 9 times, ch 15, 2 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 12: Ch 19, slide bead close to hook, [ch 20, slide bead close to hook] 6 times, ch 20, 2 sc in first ring next to last 2 sc, turn.

Strand 13: Ch 9, slide bead close to hook, [ch 10, slide bead close to hook] 14 times, ch 10, 10 sc in 2nd ring next to last 2 sc, change to size 10 steel hook, sc in hole on opposite side of magnetic clasp, change to size E hook, ch 10, 10 sc in 2nd ring, join in beg sc. Fasten off. CW

Beads and ribbon novelty yarn make up this fashionable necklace.

Pineapples

Design by Elizabeth Ann White

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

3¾ x 65 inches

MATERIALS

- Lion Brand Microspun light (light worsted) weight yarn (2½ oz/168 yds/70g per ball): 1 ball #102 blush
- Size F/5/3.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

3 LIGHT

GAUGE

6 dc = 1 inch; 2 rows = 1 inch

Rows of crocheted pineapples make up this simple yet elegant scarf.

SPECIAL STITCH

Shell: (2 dc, ch 2, 2 dc) in st or ch sp indicated.

SCARF

Row 1: Ch 4, (dc, {ch 2, 2 dc} twice) in 4th ch from hook, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, **shell** *(see Special Stitch)* in first ch-2 sp, ch 3, shell in last ch sp, turn. *(2 shells)*

Row 3: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, 3 dc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, 2 dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 5: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, sc in first dc of next group, [ch 3, sc in next dc] 5 times, ch 3, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 6: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, [sc in next ch sp, ch 3] 5 times, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Continued on page 104

Hat With Flair

Design by **Sheila Leslie**

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

SIZE

Fits 19–20-inch head circumference

MATERIALS

- Patons Grace (light worsted) weight cotton yarn (1¾ oz/ 136 yds/50g per ball):
  1 ball #62008 natural
  15 yds #62322 viola
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

3 LIGHT

GAUGE

5 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of rounds counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

HAT

Rnd 1: Starting at top of head, ch 5, (dc, ch 1) 6 times in 5th ch from hook *(beg 4 sk chs count as first dc and beg ch-1 sp)*, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 3rd ch of beg 4 sk chs. *(7 dc)*

Rnd 2: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, dc in same sp, ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 6 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(14 dc)*

Rnd 3: Sl st between same ch as joining and next dc, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1, *2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 dc between next 2 dc, ch 1, rep from * 5 times, ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(28 dc)*

Rnd 4: Sl st between same ch as joining and next dc, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, *ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 dc between next 2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, rep from * 5 times, ch 1, 2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(42 dc)*

Rnd 5: Sl st between same ch as joining and next dc, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 3 times, *2 dc between next 2 dc, ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 3 times, rep from * 5 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(56 dc)*

Rnd 6: Sl st between same ch as joining and next dc, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1 [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 4 times, *2 dc between next 2 dc, ch 1, [2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1] 4 times, rep from * 5 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(70 dc)*

Rnd 7: Sl st in next dc and in next ch-1 sp, ch 3, dc in same sp, ch 1, *2 dc in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnds 8–19: Rep rnd 7.

Rnd 20: Sl st in next dc and in next ch-1 sp, ch 1, 2 sc in same sp, 2 sc in each rem ch-1 sp, join in first sc. *(70 sc)*

Rnd 21: Ch 1, sc in same sc and in each rem sc around, join in first sc.

Rnd 22: Rep rnd 21.

Rnd 23: Ch 1, *sl st in next sc, ch 1, rep from * around, join in joining sl st. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

FLOWER

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 5 sc in second ch from hook, join in first sc. *(5 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc, ch 3, [sc in next sc, ch 3] 4 times, join in first sc.

Top off your daughter's outfit with this cute hat.

Rnd 3: Sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 1, (sc, hdc, 3 dc, hdc, sc) *(petal)* in same sp as beg ch-1 and in each rem ch-3 around, join in first sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 5, working behind petals made in previous rnd, [sl st in first sc of next petal, ch 5] 4 times, join in joining sl st.

Rnd 5: Sl st in next ch-5 sp, ch 1, (sc, hdc, dc, 3 tr, dc, hdc, sc) *(large petal)* in same sp as beg ch-1 and in each rem ch-5 sp around, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

FINISHING

Sew Flower to rnds 14 and 15 of Hat. CW

Blue Wrap

Design by Ruthie Marks

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

11 inches wide x 50 inches (long sides)

MATERIALS

- Plymouth Yarn Encore Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (3½ oz/200 yds/100g per skein): 2 skeins each #514 light blue, #515 medium blue, #598 dark blue and #555 navy
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch markers

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

5 dc = 2½ inches; 4 ch-1 sps = 2½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join rounds with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of row counts as double crochet and chain-1 space unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Double crochet-center group (dc-center group): (Dc, ch 1, dc—*mark dc*, ch 1, dc) in indicated place.

Single crochet-center group (sc-center group): (Sc—*mark dc*, sc) in indicated place.

WRAP

Row 1: With light blue, ch 270, dc in 5th ch from hook *(beg 4 sk chs counts as first dc and ch-1 sp)*, *ch 1, sk next ch, dc in next ch, rep from * 65 times, ch 1, **dc-center group** *(see Special Stitches)* in next ch, ch 1, dc in next ch, *ch 1, sk next ch, dc in next ch, rep from * across, turn. *(67 dc each side of dc-center group)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first dc, tr in next ch-1 sp, *sc in next dc, tr in next ch-1 sp, rep from * across to marked dc, **sc-center group** *(see Special Stitches)* in marked dc, *tr in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, rep from * across to beg 4 sk chs, tr in sp formed by beg 4 sk chs, sc in 3rd ch of beg ch-4, **changing color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to medium blue, turn. *(68 tr each side of marked dc)*

Row 3: Ch 4 *(see Pattern Notes)*, sk next tr, dc in next sc, ch 1, sk next tr, dc in next sc, rep from * across to marked dc, work dc-center group in marked dc, dc in next sc, *ch 1, sk next tr, dc in next sc, rep from * across, turn. *(69 dc each side of dc-center group)*

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first dc, tr in next ch-1 sp, *sc in next dc, tr in next ch-1 sp, rep from * across to marked dc, sc-center group in marked dc, *tr in next ch-1 sp, sc in next dc, rep from * across to beg ch-4, tr in sp formed by beg ch-4, sc in 3rd ch of same ch-4, change color to dark blue, turn. *(70 tr each side of marked dc)*

Rows 5 & 6: Rep rows 3 and 4. At end of row 6, change color to navy.

Rows 7 & 8: Rep rows 3 and 4. At end of row 8, change color to light blue.

Rows 9 & 10: Rep rows 3 and 4. At end of row 10, change color to medium blue.

Rows 11–18: Rep rows 3–10, inc 1 dc or tr each side of center group. *(84 tr each side of dc-center group at end of last row)*

Rows 19–24: Rep rows 3–8, inc 1 dc or tr each side of center group. At end of last row, fasten off. *(90 tr each side of dc-ecenter group at end of last row)* CW

This easy wrap, made using worsted-weight yarn, is great for casual or dressy attire.

Waves of Color Cowl

Design by Darla Sims

Keep your neck warm with this fashionable cowl made using worsted-weight yarn.

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

One size fits most

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

11 inches tall x 24 inches in circumference

MATERIALS

- NaturallyCaron.com Country medium (worsted) weight acrylic/merino wool yarn (3 oz/185 yds/85g per skein):
  1 skein #0015 deep taupe
  1 oz/62 yds/28g #0007 naturally
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

1 pattern rep = 3 inches

PATTERN NOTE

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Cluster (cl): Keeping last lp of each dc on hook, dc in each of next 3 sts, yo and draw through all 4 lps on hook.

COWL

Row 1: With naturally, ch 83, dc in 3rd ch from hook *(beg 2 sk chs count as first dc)*, *dc in each of next 3 chs, ***cl** *(see Special Stitch)* in next 3 chs, dc in each of next 3 chs, 3 dc in next ch, rep from * to last 4 chs, dc in each of next 3 chs, 2 dc in last ch, change to deep taupe by drawing lp through, cut naturally, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 *(see Pattern Note)*, dc in first dc, *working in **front lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in 2nd ch of beg 2 sk chs, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in first dc, *working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, **changing color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to naturally in last st, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. Fasten off deep taupe.

Row 4: Ch 3, dc in first dc, *working in front lps, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, changing color to deep taupe in last st, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. Fasten off naturally.

Continued on page 105

Granny Square Scarf

Design by Judy Crow

SKILL LEVEL
EASY

FINISHED SIZE
5 x 55 inches, excluding Fringe

MATERIALS
- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  - 2 oz/100 yds/57g dark brown
  - 1 oz/50 yds/28g each tan and blue
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE
Motif = 5 inches square

PATTERN NOTES

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of round counts as first treble crochet unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning double crochet cluster (beg dc cl): Ch 3 *(see Pattern Notes)*, holding back last lp of each st on hook, 2 dc in same st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

Double crochet cluster (dc cl): Holding back last lp of each st on hook, 3 dc in next st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

Continued on page 109

The ever-popular granny square makes up this easy-to-stitch scarf.

Rumba Ruffles Scarf

Design by Darla Sims

SKILL LEVEL
EASY

FINISHED SIZE
One size fits most

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS
Adult Scarf: 4 x 52 inches
Child Scarf: 3 x 36 inches

MATERIALS FOR SMALL

4 MEDIUM

- Premier Yarns Deborah Norville Everyday Soft Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (solids: 4 oz/203 yds/113g per ball, prints: 3½ oz/180 yds/99g per ball):
  - 1 oz/51 yds/28g #ED200-23 red rocks *(MC)*
  - ½ oz/24 yds/14g #ED100-07 really red *(A)*
  - ¼ oz/13 oz/7g #ED100-24 steel *(B)*
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE
8 sts = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Materials listed will make either Adult Scarf **or** Child Scarf.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

ADULT SCARF

BODY

Row 1 (RS): With MC, ch 20, dc in 4th ch from hook *(beg 3 sk chs count as first dc)* and in each rem ch across, turn. *(18 dc)*

Row 2: Ch 3 *(see Pattern Notes)*, dc in next dc and in each rem dc across, dc in 3rd ch of beg 3 sk chs, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in each dc across, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Next rows: Rep row 3 until piece measures approximately 52 inches. At end of last row, fasten off.

Weave in ends.

RUFFLES

Bottom Ruffle

Hold piece with RS facing, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* A around **post** *(see Stitch Guide)* of last st of row 2, ch 4 *(counts as first dc and ch-1 sp)*, working around beg ch from bottom to top, (dc around same post, ch 1) twice, *working from top to bottom of next dc, (dc around post, ch 1) 3 times, working from bottom to top of next dc, (dc around post, ch 1) 3 times, rep from * across, turn, working on WS, work Ruffle in same manner across side, working between sts made on RS, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

Middle Ruffle

With B and working around posts of sts in row 4, rep Bottom Ruffle.

Top Ruffle

With A and working around posts of sts in row 6, rep Bottom Ruffle.

Rep all Ruffles at other end of Body of Scarf.

CHILD SCARF

BODY

Row 1 (RS): With MC, ch 14, dc in 4th ch from hook *(beg 3 sk chs count as first dc)* and in each rem ch across, turn. *(12 dc)*

Row 2: Rep row 2 of Adult Scarf.

Row 3: Rep row 3 of Adult Scarf.

Next rows: Rep row 3 of Adult Scarf until piece measures approximately 36 inches. At end of last row, fasten off.

Weave in ends.

RUFFLES

Bottom Ruffle

Work same as Bottom Ruffle for Adult Scarf.

Middle Ruffle

Work same as Middle Ruffle for Adult Scarf.

Top Ruffle

Work same as Top Ruffle for Adult Scarf.

Rep all Ruffles at other end of Body of Scarf. CW

Clever ruffle stitch stripes are fun to crochet in your favorite scrap colorations.

Mandarin-Style Jacket

Design by Jennifer McClain

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

1½ inches wide when sewn in place

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Luster Sheen fine (sport) weight acrylic yarn (4 oz/335 yds/113g per skein): 2 skeins #824 medium blue
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Sewing needle
- White ladies sweatshirt
- Liquid seam sealant
- Blue sewing thread

2 FINE

GAUGE

4 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Use 2 strands of yarn held together throughout.

SWEATSHIRT PREPARATION

1. Remove bottom knit band from sweatshirt, cutting just above band.

2. Cut each sleeve on sweatshirt 7 inches from bottom edge of cuff.

3. Cut band from around neckline of sweatshirt.

4. Lay sweatshirt flat, cut down center front. Cut top front corners of neck edge to form "V" at neck.

BOTTOM EDGING

[Ch 20, sl st in 10th ch from hook] number of times needed to measure loosely around lower edge of sweatshirt minus 2 inches, ch 11, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 9 chs, sk sl sts, [fold ch-9 lp up and twist 1 half turn to the left so front side of chs is facing, working in **back bar** *(see illustration)* of each ch across ch-9 lp, sl st in first ch, sc in each of next 3 chs, 2 sc in next ch, sc in each of next 3 chs, sl st in last ch, working in next ch-10 section, being careful that front side of chs is facing, sc in each of next 10 chs] across. Fasten off.

Starting about ½ inch from bottom edge, align center of Edging to center back of sweatshirt, pin Edging around lower edge of sweatshirt, having 10 sc between lps slightly curved. Sew firmly in place, trim excess fabric below Edging. Apply liquid seam sealant to cut edge.

FRONT & NECK EDGING

Rep Bottom Edging until Front & Neck Edging measure to fit from 1 bottom front corner up around neck edge and back down to opposite bottom front corner.

SLEEVE EDGING

Make 2.

Ch 15, sl st in 10th ch from hook, [ch 20, sl st in 10th ch from hook] number of times to measure loosely around lower edge of sleeve minus 1 inch, ch 6, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 4 chs, sk sl sts, *fold ch-9 lp up and twist 1 half turn to the left so front side of chs is facing, working in back lps of chs of ch-9 sp, sl st in first ch, sc in each of next 3 chs, 2 sc in next ch, sc in each of next 3 chs, sl st in last ch**, working in next ch-10 section, being careful that front sides of chs are facing, sc in each of next 10 chs, rep from * across, ending last rep at **, sc in each of last 5 chs. Fasten off.

Starting about ½ inch from bottom edge, pin 1 Edging around lower edge of 1 sleeve, having 10 sc between lps slightly curved. Sew firmly in place, trim excess fabric below Edging. Apply liquid seam sealant to cut edge.

Rep on other sleeve.

MEDALLION

Make 2.

Ch 10, join with sl st in 10th ch from hook to form ring, working in back bar of each ch, sc in each of first 4 chs, 2 sc in next ch, sc in each of last 5 chs, join with sl st in beg sc. Fasten off.

Sew 1 Medallion to 1 front corner where Bottom Edging meets Front Edging.

Rep on other corner. CW

Turn a plain women's sweatshirt into a nice jacket by embellishing it with your scrap yarn.

Lacy Shells Sweatshirt

Design by Jennifer McClain

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Sleeve Trim: 3½ inches wide
Bottom Trim: 3½ inches wide
Neck Trim: 1 inch wide

MATERIALS

3 LIGHT

- Omega Sinfonia light (DK) weight cotton yarn (3½ oz/232 yds/100g per skein): 2 skeins #802 cream
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Sewing needle
- Off-white ladies long-sleeve sweatshirt
- Liquid seam sealant
- Off-white sewing thread

GAUGE

2 ch-5 sp rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in loose ends as work progresses.

Join rounds with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

If necessary, make foundation of edging ½ inch longer than garment edge and turn ends under to fit when attached.

SWEATSHIRT PREPARATION

1. Remove bottom knit band from sweatshirt, cutting just above band.

2. Cut each sleeve on sweatshirt 9 inches from bottom edge of cuff.

3. Cut band from around neckline of sweatshirt. Cut scoop in neck at front from about 2 inches below bottom of neck edge.

4. Apply liquid seam sealant to each cut edge.

BOTTOM EDGING

Foundation

Row 1: Ch 4, dc in 4th ch from hook, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in first ch of last ch-4, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in first ch of last ch-3, turn.

Next rows: Rep row 3 until piece fits around bottom edge of sweatshirt, ending with a multiple of 3 rows.

Upper Trim

Rnd 1: Working in ends of rows on 1 side of Foundation, ch 1, (sc, 2 dc, sc) in end of each row across, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Lower Trim

Note: *(Ch 2, dc) in beg sc counts as ch-5 sp unless otherwise stated.*

Rnd 1: Working in ends of rows on opposite side of Foundation, join cream with sc in end of first row, [ch 5, sc in next row] across, (ch 2, dc—*see Note*) in beg sc to position hook in center of last ch-5 sp.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same ch sp as beg ch-1, [ch 5, sc in next ch sp] around, (ch 2, dc) in beg sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same ch sp as beg ch-1, ch 5, sc in next ch sp, *3 dc in next sc, sc in next ch sp, [ch 5, sc in next ch sp] twice, rep from * across to last ch-5 sp, 3 dc in next sc, sc in last ch sp, (ch 2, dc) in beg sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same ch sp as beg ch-1, ch 5, sc in next ch sp, *ch 5, sc in center dc of next 3-dc group, [ch 5, sc in next ch sp] twice, rep from * around to last 3-dc group, ch 5, sc in center dc of next 3-dc group, (ch 2, dc) in beg sc.

Rnd 5: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same ch sp as beg ch-1, ch 5, sc in next ch sp, *3 dc in next sc, sc in next ch sp, [ch 5, sc in next ch sp] twice, rep from * around to last ch-5 sp, 3 dc in next sc, sc in last ch sp, ch 5, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY

Easing to fit, sew Foundation to bottom edge of sweatshirt. Tack Upper Trim in place.

SLEEVE EDGING

Working around cut edge of each sleeve of sweatshirt, work same as Bottom Edging.

NECK EDGING

Foundation

Row 1: Ch 4, dc in 4th ch from hook, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in first ch of last ch-4, turn.

Row 3: Ch 3, dc in first ch of last ch-3, turn.

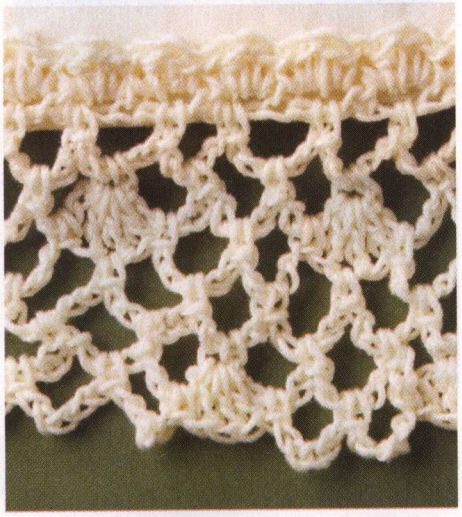
Next rows: Rep row 3 until piece fits around neck edge of sweatshirt.

Lower Trim

Working in ends of rows on 1 side of Foundation, ch 1, (sc, 2 dc, sc) in end of each row across, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Upper Trim

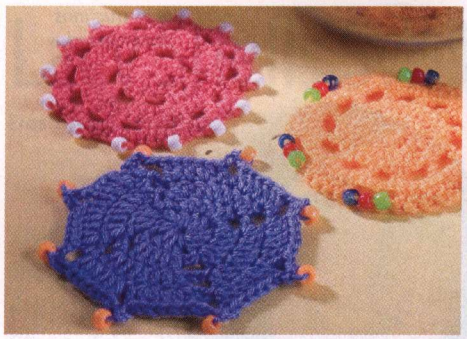
Working in ends of rows on opposite side of Foundation, join cream with sc in end of first row, sc in same row, 2 sc in end of each row around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.



With top of Upper Trim even with neck edge of sweatshirt, easing to fit, sew Neck Edging to sweatshirt. CW

Hat instructions not included

Crochet trims add a new look to a plain sweatshirt.



Bits & Pieces

Granny Square Booties

Design by Annie's Crochet

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit women's 9-inch sole *(small)*; changes for 10-inch sole *(medium)* and 11-inch sole *(large)* are in [ ].

MATERIALS

- NaturallyCaron.com Country medium (worsted) weight acrylic/wool yarn (3 oz/ 185 yds/85g per ball):
  2 [3, 3] balls #0007 naturally *(A)*
  1 [1, 1] ball each #0001 rose bisque *(B)*, #0002 coral lipstick *(C)*, #0003 soft sunshine *(D)*, #0006 berry frappe *(E)* and #0004 green sheen *(F)*
- Size crochet hook needed for size and to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Size G hook for 9-inch sole: 4 sc = 1 inch; 4 sc rows = 1 inch
Size G hook and 2 strands held tog: 7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rows = 2 inches
Size H hook for 10-inch sole: 7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rows = 2 inches
Size H hook and 2 strands held tog: 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch
Size J hook for 11-inch sole: 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch
Size J hook and 2 strands held tog: 5 sc = 2 inches; 5 sc rows = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Change colors in last stitch made. Do not carry dropped color along back of work.

Use separate ball of yarn for each section of color and fasten off each color when no longer needed.

SPECIAL STITCH

Berry stitch (berry st): Insert hook in place indicated, yo, pull lp through st, you now have 2 lps on hook, keep first lp on hook, working in 2nd lp only, ch 3, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

BOOTIE

Make 2.

SIDE PATCH

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With D, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in beg sc. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: Join B with sc in first st, sc in same st, **berry st** *(see Special Stitch)* in next st, **changing colors** *(see Stitch Guide and Pattern Notes)* to E in 2nd st, 2 sc in next st, with E, 2 sc in next st, berry st in next st, changing colors to C in 2nd st, 2 sc in next st, with C, 2 sc in next st, berry st in next st, changing to F in 2nd st, 2 sc in next st, with F, 2 sc in next st, berry st in next st, 2 sc in last st, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(20 sts)*

Rnd 4: Join B with sc in first st, berry st in next st, 3 sc in next st, berry st in next st, changing to E, *sc in next st, with new color, sc in next st, berry st in next st, 3 sc in next st, berry st in next st*, changing to C, rep between * once, changing to F, rep between * once, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(28 sts)*

Rnd 5: Join B with sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, berry st in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, changing to E, *sc in next st, with new color, sc in each of next 3 sts, berry st in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts*, changing to C, rep between * once, changing to F, rep between * once, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 6: Join A with sc in first st, sc in each of next 2 sts, [3 sc in next st *(corner)*, sc in each of next 6 sts] 3 times, 3 sc in next st *(corner)*, sc in each of last 3 sts, join in beg sc. *(36 sc)*

Rnds 7 & 8: Ch 1, sc in each st around with 3 sc in each center corner st, join in beg sc. At end of last rnd, fasten off. *(52 sc at end of last rnd)*

Row 9: Now working in rows, join A with sc in 3rd st of any 3-sc group, sc in each of next 11 sts leaving rem sts unworked. Fasten off.

Row 10: Sk next 14 sts on rnd 8, join A with sc in next st, sc in each of next 11 sts, leaving rem sts unworked. Fasten off.

HEEL

Hold Side Patches WS tog, matching sts of row 10, working through both thicknesses, join naturally with sc in first st, sc in each st across. Fasten off.

TOP PATCH

Rnds 1–4: Rep rnds 1–4 of Side Patch.

Rnd 5: Join B with sc in first st, sc in next st, berry st in next st, sc in next st, berry st in next st, sc in next st, changing to E, *sc in next

st, with new color, sc in each of next 2 sts, berry st in next st, sc in next st, berry st in next st, sc in next st*, changing to C, rep between * once, changing to F, rep between * once, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 6: Join B with sc in first st, sc in same st, sc in each of next 2 sts, (sc, berry st, sc) in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, changing to E in last st, *2 sc in next st, with new color, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, (sc, berry st, sc) in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts*, changing to B in last st, rep between * once, changing to E in last st, rep between * once, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 7: Join A with sc in first st, 2 sc in same st, sc in each of next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 4 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. *(49 sc)*

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in first st, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 5 sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, sc in each of next 5 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. *(55 sc)*

Rnd 9: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. *(61 sc)*

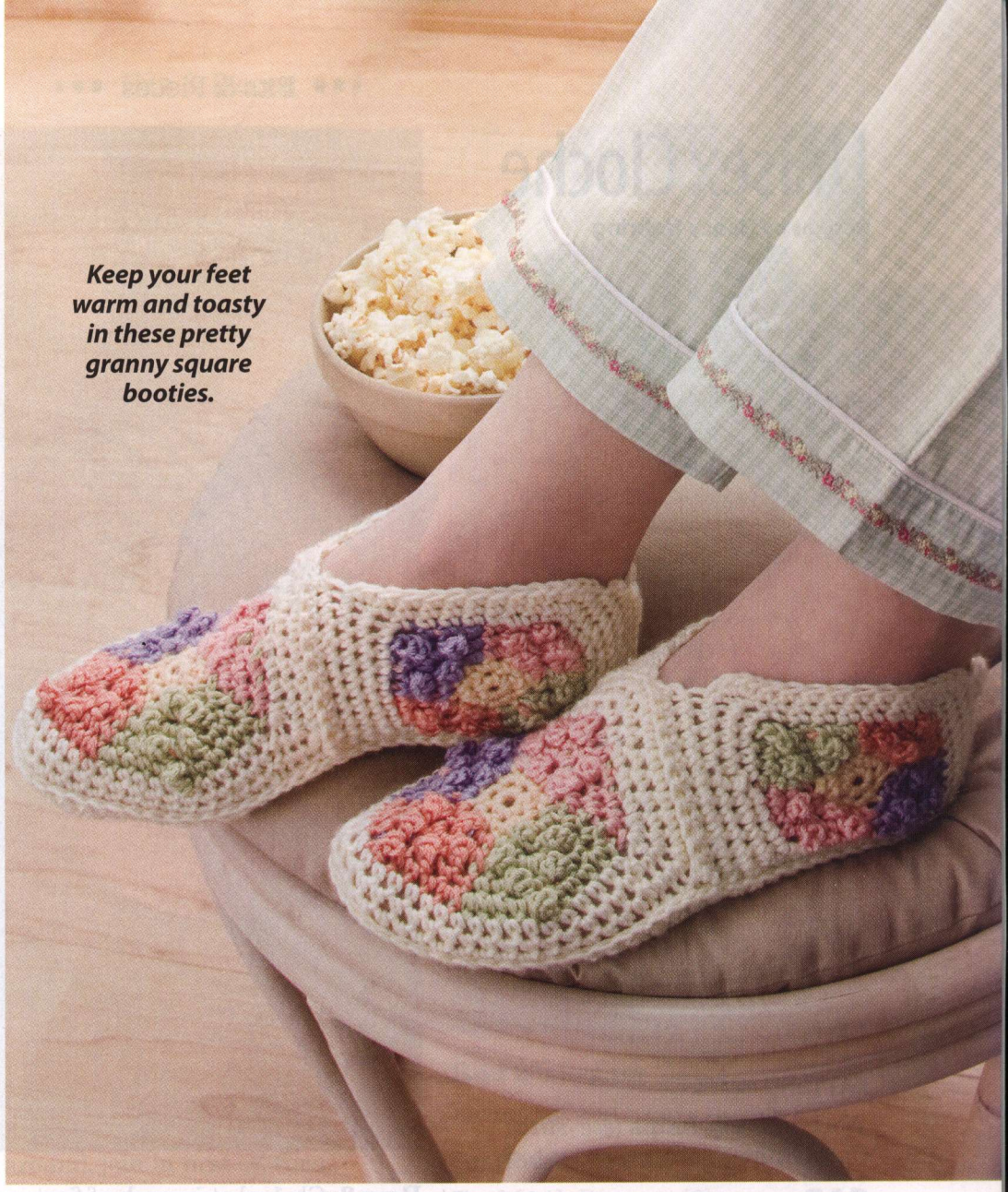
Rnd 10: Ch 1, sc in each of first 2 sts, hold sts of row 9 on 1 end of Side Patches and Top Patch WS tog, matching sts, working through both thicknesses, sc in each of next 12 sts, working through both thicknesses of sts on opposite end of Side Patches and Top Patch, sc in each of next 12 sts, sc in each rem st around Top Patch, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

SOLE

Rnd 1: With 2 strands A held tog, ch 24, 2 sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 10 chs, hdc in next ch, dc in each of next 9 chs, 2 dc in next ch, 5 dc in last ch, working on opposite side of ch, 2 dc in next ch, dc in each of next 9 chs, hdc in next ch, sc in each of last 11 chs, join in beg sc. *(52 sts)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 23 sts, 2 hdc in next st, 3 hdc in next st, 2 hdc in next st, sc in each of next 23 sts, 2 sc in last st, join in beg sc. *(58 sts)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 12 sts, sk next st, sc in each of next 10 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts] twice, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 10 sts, sk next st, sc in each of next 12 sts, 2 sc in last st, join in beg sc. *(61 sc)*



Keep your feet warm and toasty in these pretty granny square booties.

Small Size Only

Fasten off.

Medium & Large Sizes Only

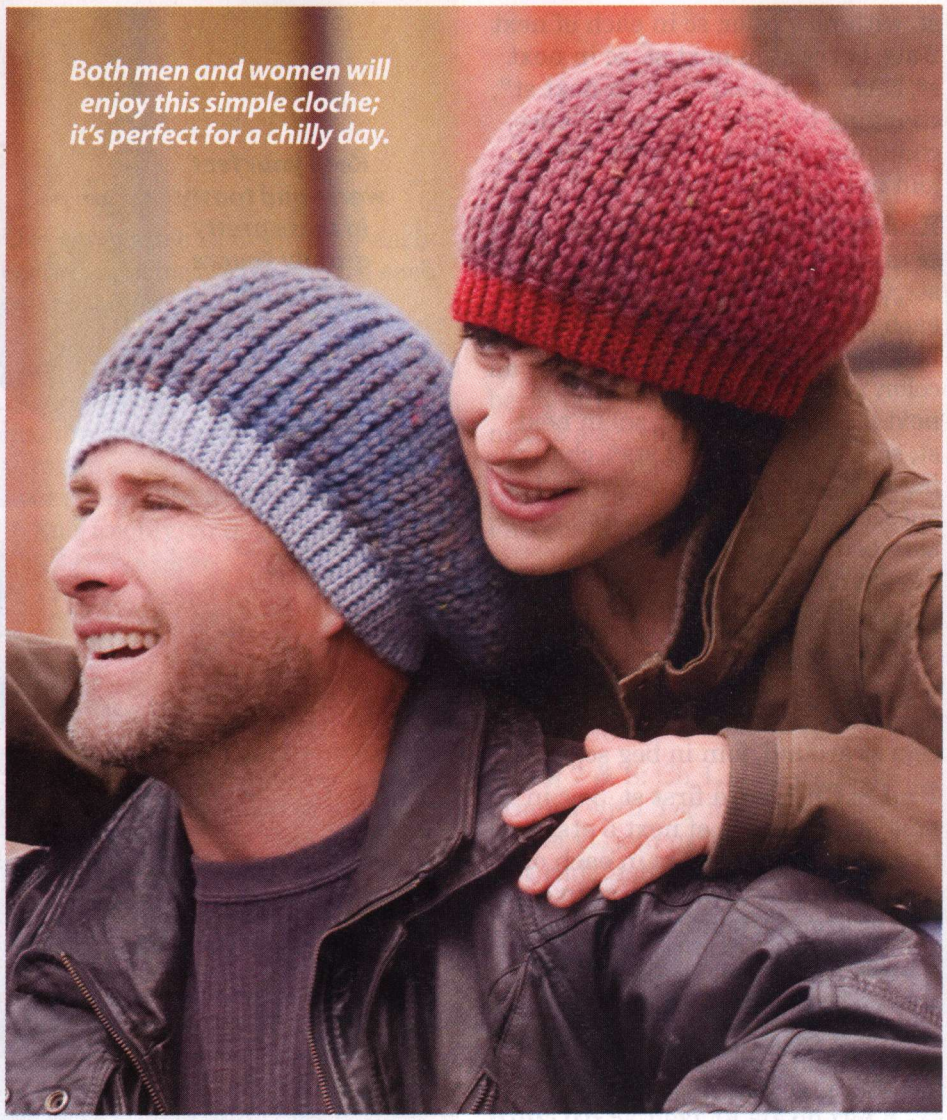
Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 27 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 26 sts, 2 sc in last st, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(56 sc)*

ASSEMBLY

With A, easing to fit, sc Sole to bottom of Bootie. CW

Unisex Cloche

Designs by Nancy Nehring



Both men and women will enjoy this simple cloche; it's perfect for a chilly day.

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit 21-inch head circumference *(woman's)*; changes for 23-inch head circumference *(man's)* are in [ ].

MATERIALS

- Bulky (chunky) weight yarn: 3½ oz/155 yds/100g color of choice (5 BULKY)
- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 6 oz/312 yds/170g color of choice (4 MEDIUM)
- Sizes H/8/5mm and M/13/9mm crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Size M hook and bulky yarn: 12 sl sts = 4 inches; 18 sl st rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTE

Work in **back loops** *(see Stitch Guide)* unless otherwise stated.

CAP

BODY

Row 1: With size H hook and medium yarn, ch 6, **change color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to bulky yarn in last ch, with size M hook, ch 21 [23], sl st in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 19 [21] chs, changing to size H hook and medium yarn in last st, sl st in each of last 6 chs, turn. *(26 [28] sl sts)*

Row 2: Ch 1, working in **back lps** *(see Pattern Notes)*, sl st in each of first 6 sts, changing to size M hook and bulky yarn in last st, sl st in each st across, leaving last 4 sts unworked for top of Cap, turn. *(22 [24] sl sts)*

Row 3: Ch 1, sl st in each of first 16 [18] sts, changing to H hook and medium yarn in last st, sl st in each of last 6 sts, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sl st in each of first 6 sts, changing to size M hook and bulky yarn in last st, sl st in each st across, leaving last 4 sts unworked, turn. *(18 [20] sl sts)*

Row 5: Ch 1, sl st in each of first 12 [14] sts, changing to H hook and medium yarn in last st, sl st in each of last 6 sts, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sl st in each of first 6 sts, changing to size M hook and bulky yarn in last st, sl st in each of next 12 [14] sts and in next 8 unworked sts across top of Cap, turn. *(26 [28] sl sts)*

Row 7: Ch 1, sl st in each of first 20 [22] sts, changing to H hook and medium yarn in last st, sl st in each of last 6 sts, turn.

Rows 8–91 [8–103]: [Rep rows 2–7 consecutively] 14 [16] times.

Rows 92–96 [104–108]: Rep rows 2–6.

Row 97 [109]: Hold first and last rows tog, matching sts, working through both thicknesses, sl st in each st across. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave separate strand bulky through ends of rows at top of Cap, pull to gather and secure end. CW

Ponytail Hats

Design by Cassandra Hennen

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit child size; changes for adult size are in [ ].

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Fiesta medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/316 yds/170g per skein):
  1 skein each #6635 coffee and #6250 cornmeal
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 1-inch diameter ponytail holder

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

3 sc = 1 inch

These clever hats are specially designed with a hole for ponytail days.

HAT

CROWN

Row 1: Beg at top of hat, ch 16, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(15 sc)*

Note: *Remainder of Hat is worked in turned rounds.*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hold ponytail holder in front of rnd 1, working over ponytail holder, 2 sc in first sc and in each rem sc, join in first sc, **turn**. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, hdc) in first sc, *sk next sc, (sc, ch 2, hdc) in next sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, working behind ch-2 sps made on previous row, 2 sc in each sk sc on 2nd row below, join in first sc, turn.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, (sc, ch 2, hdc) in first sc, sk next sc, *(sc, ch 2, hdc) in next sc, sk next sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn.

Rnd 6: Ch 1, 3 sc in first sc and in each rem sc, join in first sc, turn.

Rnds 7–12: [Rep rows 3 and 4 alternately] 3 times.

Rnd 13: Rep row 3.

For Child Size Only

Rnd 14: Ch 1, 3 sc in each of first 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, *3 sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn.

Rnds 15–22: [Rep rows 3 and 4 alternately] 4 times.

Rnd 23: Rep row 3.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

For Adult Size Only

Rnd [14]: Rep row [6].

Rnds [15–26]: [Rep rows [3 and 4] alternately] [6] times.

Rnd [27]: Rep row [3].

Fasten off and weave in ends.

TOP EDGING

Hold Hat with row 1 at top, join yarn in unused lp of first ch of beg ch-16, ch 1, in same lp and in each rem unused lp work (sc, ch 2, hdc), join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends. CW

Keep Smiling Tissue Cover

Design by Nanette Seale

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

5 x 5 x 6 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn: (3 LIGHT)
  - 3 oz/150 yds/85g blue
  - 1½ oz/70 yds/30g bright yellow
  - 1 oz/50 yds/28g each mint green and black
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- ½-inch buttons: 8 black
- Tapestry needle
- Stitch markers

GAUGE

4 dc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Chain-3 at beginning of rounds counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

COVER

BODY

Rnd 1: With blue, ch 60, taking care not to twist ch, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 60th ch from hook to form a ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, dc in each rem ch, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(60 dc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in each dc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnds 3–9: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 10: Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining and in each rem dc, join in back lp of first sc.

Rnd 11: Ch 1, working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in same sc as beg ch-1 and in next 2 sc, sc in each of next 12 dc, *sc dec in next 3 sc, sc in each of next 12 dc, rep from * twice, join in first sc. *(52 sc)*

Rnd 12: Ch 2, working through both lps, **dc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts, dc in each of next 10 sc, *dc dec in next 3 sc, sc in each of next 10 sc, rep from * twice, sk beg ch-2, join in next dc. *(44 dc)*

Rnd 13: Ch 2, dc dec in next 2 dc, *dc in each of next 8 dc, *dc dec over next 3 dc, dc in each of next 8 dc, rep from * twice, sk beg ch-2, join in next dc. Fasten off. *(36 dc)*

TRIM

Join mint in first unused front lp of rnd 10, ch 1, sc in same lp and in each rem unused front lp, join in first sc. Finish off.

TOP EDGING

Hold piece with RS facing you and rnd 13 at top, join mint green in first dc of rnd 13, ch 1, sc in same dc and in each rem dc, join in first sc. Fasten off.

BASE EDGING

Hold piece with RS facing you and beg ch at top, working in rem lps, join mint green in first lp of beg ch, ch 1, sc in same lp and in each rem lp across, join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

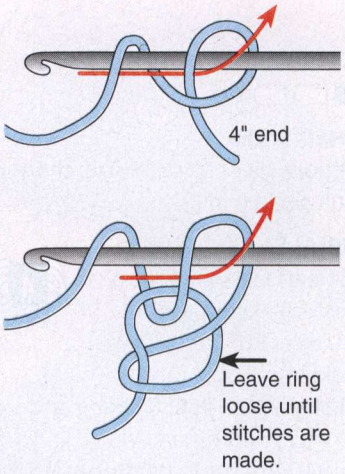
SMILEY FACE

Make 4.

Rnd 1: With bright yellow, make **slip ring** *(see illustration)*, ch 1, 6 sc in ring, pull short end to tighten ring, join in first sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each sc, join in first sc. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in same sc, 2 sc in next sc, *sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * 4 times, join in first sc. *(18 sc)*



Slip Ring

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same sc and in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, *sc in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * 4 times, join in first sc. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in same sc and in next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, *sc in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * 4 times, join in first sc. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in same sc and in next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, *sc in next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * 4 times, join in first sc. *(36 sc)*

Fasten off and weave in ends.

FINISHING

Referring to photo for placement, sew 1 Smiley Face to each side of Body.

With sewing needle and matching thread, sew buttons to face for eyes.

Referring to photo for placement and with black, work mouths with sl sts as follows:

1. Place markers to indicate beg and end of smile;

2. make slip knot, drop lp from hook;

3. insert hook from front to back through st marked for beg of smile;

4. place dropped lp on hook and pull lp to front;

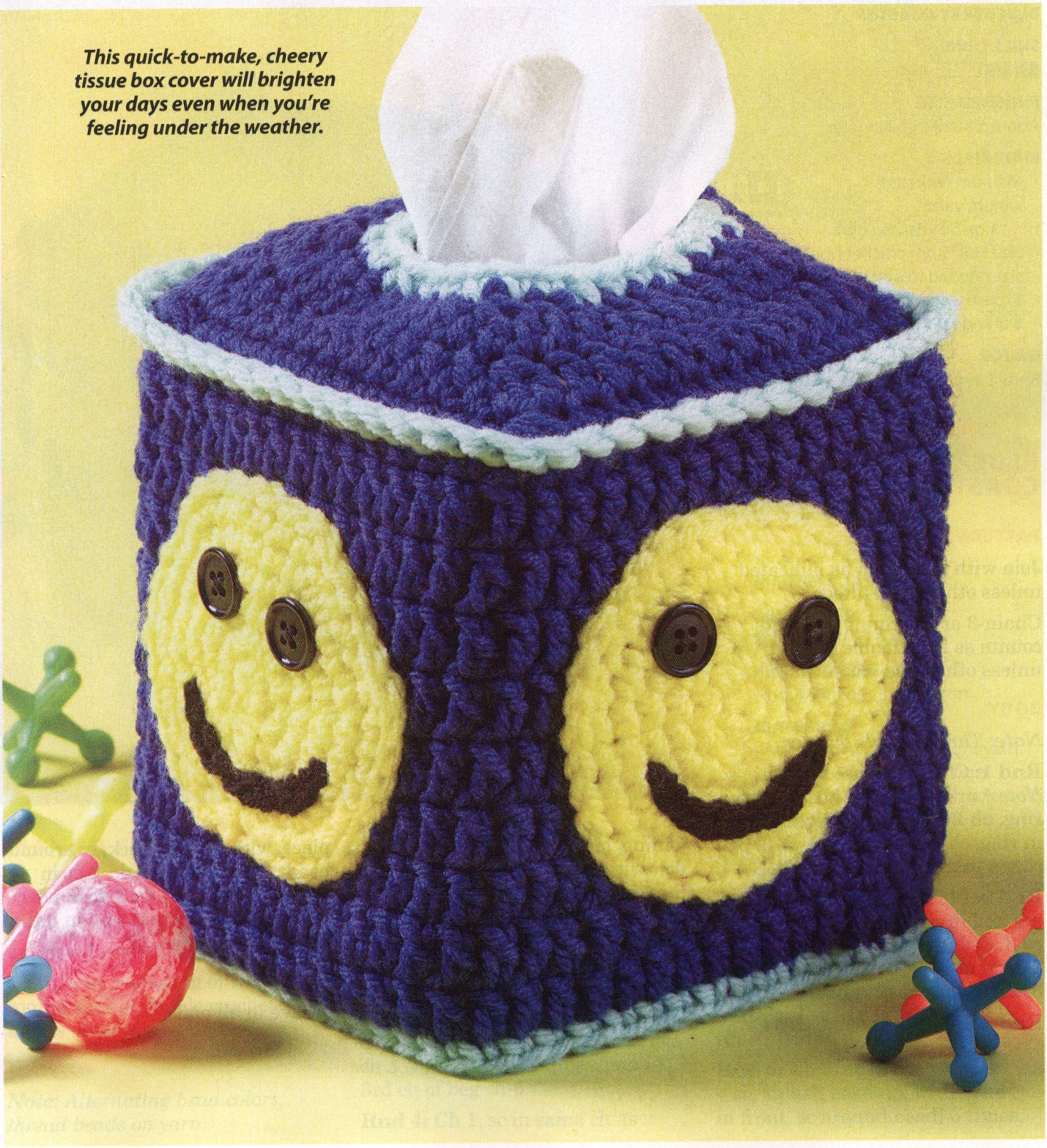
5. *working over post of next st, insert hook from front to back through next st;

6. yo, pull lp through to front and through lp on hook;

7. rep from * to next marked st, changing rows where necessary;

8. after last st is completed, fasten off.

Weave in all ends. CW



This quick-to-make, cheery tissue box cover will brighten your days even when you're feeling under the weather.

Beaded Coasters

Designs by **Tammy Hebert**

BLUEBERRY COASTER

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

About 5 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 1 oz/50 yds/28g blue
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 8 orange pony beads

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnds 1 and 2 = 2¼ inches

BLUEBERRY COASTER

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

BODY

Note: *Thread beads on yarn.*

Rnd 1: Ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 2 dc in ring, ch 3, (3 dc in ring, ch 3) 3 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3, [2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, ch 3] 3 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining, [dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc] twice, ch 3, *2 dc in next dc, [dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc] twice, ch 3, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in same ch as joining and in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc, *ch 2, push bead into place, with bead in back, sc around bead, ch 2, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, dc in next dc, 2 dc in next dc, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends.

Dress up a simple coaster using pony beads.

MANGO COASTER

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

About 5 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 1 oz/50 yds/28g orange
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 18 pony beads in 3 different colors

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnds 1 and 2 = 2¼ inches

MANGO COASTER

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of rounds counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

BODY

Note: *Alternating bead colors, thread beads on yarn.*

Rnd 1: Ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 11 dc in ring, join in top of beg ch-3. *(12 dc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 3, dc in same st as beg ch-3, 2 dc in each rem st around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(24 dc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 6 *(counts as first dc and ch-3 sp)*, sk next dc, [dc in next dc, ch 3, sk next dc] 11 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-6.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining, 3 sc in next ch-3 sp, [sc in next dc, 3 sc in next ch-3 sp] 11 times, join in first sc.

Rnd 5: Ch 3, dc in each of next 4 sc, *[push bead up, with bead in front, sc around bead] 3 times,

sk next 3 sc, dc in each of next 5 sc, rep from * 5 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends.

PAPAYA COASTER

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

About 5 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 1 oz/50 yds/28g rose
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 14 white pony beads

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnds 1 and 2 = 2¼ inches

PAPAYA COASTER

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of rounds counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

BODY

Note: *Thread beads on yarn.*

Rnd 1: Ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 13 dc in ring, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(14 dc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining, ch 4, sk next dc, [sc in next dc, ch 4, sk next dc] 5 times, join in first sc.

Rnd 3: Sl st in next ch-4 sp, ch 3, 5 dc in same sp, 6 dc in each rem ch-4 sp around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

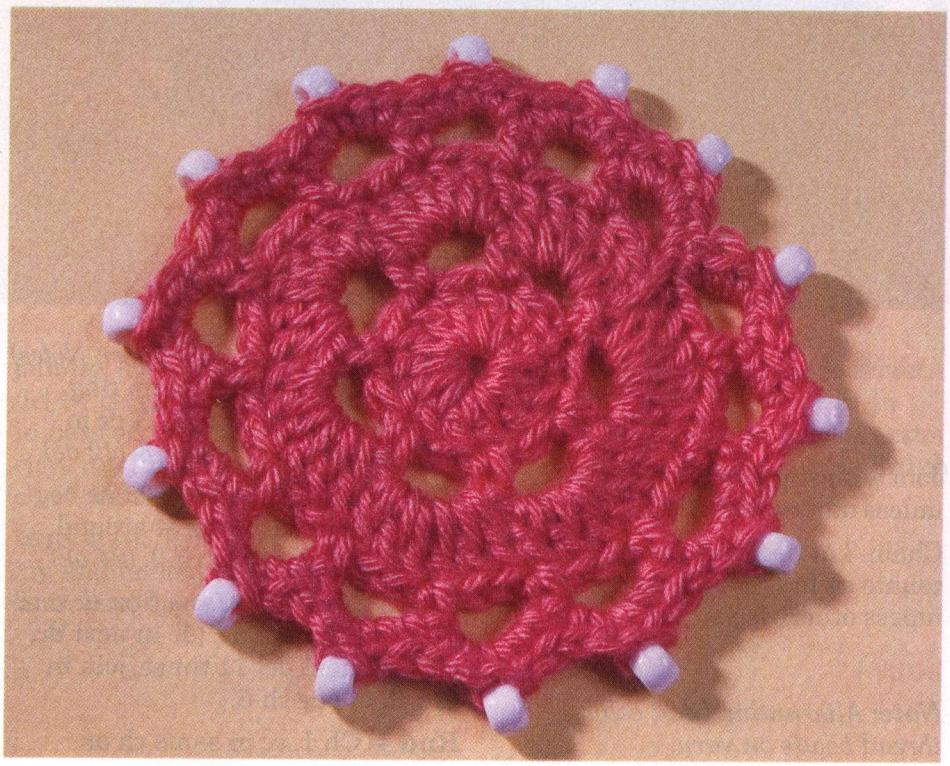
Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in same ch as joining, ch 4, sk next 2 dc, [sc in next dc, ch 4, sk next 2 dc] 13 times, join in first sc.

Rnd 5: Sl st in next ch-4 sp, ch 1, [2 sc, push bead up, with bead in back, sc around bead, 2 sc] in same sp as beg ch-1 and in each rem ch-4 sp around, join in first sc.

Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. CW



Jar Toppers

Designs by An Annie Original

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Fits small-mouth jar

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: ½ oz/25 yds/14g each blue and burgundy
- Size F/5/3.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- ⅜-inch-wide off-white ribbon: 2 pieces 30 inches

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnds 1 & 2 = 1¾ inches across

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

JAR TOPPERS

BLUE TOPPER

Rnd 1: With blue, ch 5, dc in 5th ch from hook, [ch 1, dc in same ch] 4 times, ch 1, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch of beg 4 sk chs. *(6 dc, 6 ch sps)*

Rnd 2: Sc in first ch sp, ch 2 *(first sc and ch-2 count as first dc)*, 2 dc in same ch sp, ch 1, [3 dc in next ch sp, ch 1] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(18 dc)*

Rnd 3: (Sc, ch 2, dc) in first st, dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, ch 1, [2 dc in next st, dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, ch 1] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(30 dc)*

Rnd 4: (Sc, ch 2, dc) in first st, dc in each of next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, ch 1, [2 dc in next st, dc in each of next 3 sts, 2 dc in next st, ch 1] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(42 dc)*

Complete your canned goods with these easy jar toppers for a great gift.

Rnd 5: (Sc, ch 2) in first st, dc in each of next 6 sts, ch 1, [dc in each of next 7 sts, ch 1] around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2.

Rnd 6: (Sc, ch 2) in first st, [sk next 2 sts, hdc in next st, ch 1] twice, *hdc in next st, ch 1, [sk next 2 sts, hdc in next st, ch 1] twice, rep from * around, join in first ch of beg ch-2. *(18 ch sps)*

Rnd 7: (Sc, ch 2, dc) in first ch sp, 2 dc in each ch sp around, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. *(36 dc)*

Rnd 8: Ch 1, sc in first st, ch 3, sk next st, [sc in next st, ch 3, sk next st] around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 9: [Sc in next ch sp, ch 3, dc in top of sc just made] around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave 1 ribbon through sps of rnd 7. Tie ends in bow.

BURGUNDY TOPPER

Rnds 1–8: With burgundy, work same as Blue Topper.

Rnd 9: Ch 1, (sc, ch 3, dc) in first ch sp, (sc, ch 3, dc) in each ch sp around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave 1 ribbon through sps of rnd 7. Tie ends in bow. CW

Isla

Designs by Belinda "Bendy" Carter

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Dress: Instructions given fit girl's size 2 *(small)*; changes for size 4 *(medium)* and size 6 *(large)* are in [ ].

Hat: Instructions given fit 19-inch head *(small)*; changes for 20-inch head *(large)* are in [ ].

FINISHED GARMENT MEASUREMENTS

Length: 16½ inches *(small)* [18½ inches *(medium)*, 21 inches *(large)*]

MATERIALS

- Patons Astra light (light worsted) weight acrylic yarn (1¾ oz/133 yds/ 50g per skein):
  5 [5, 5] balls #02895 lip pink
  3 [3, 3] balls each #08712 hot green, #02765 black, 08742 hot blue, #08317 hot lilac and #02752 baby pink
- Sizes E/4/3.5mm and H/8/5mm crochet hooks or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle
- Matching sewing thread
- Black T-shirt: size needed
- Stitch marker

3 LIGHT

GAUGE

Size H hook: Rnds 1–10 on Hat = 6 inches

Bottom Lace Strip = 1½ inches wide

PATTERN NOTES

This pattern can be used with any size T-shirt by adding extra yarn for larger sizes.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Work in continuous rounds, do not join or turn unless otherwise stated.

Mark first stitch of round.

T-SHIRT PREPARATION

T-shirt should be at least 20 [23, 26] inches in circumference.

Cut T-shirt at bottom edge to measure 16½ [18½, 21] inches from shoulders.

With sewing needle and thread, allowing ½ inch for hem, sew hem around bottom.

T-SHIRT TRIM

BOTTOM & SLEEVE LACE

Make 3.

Row 1: With size H hook and lip pink, ch 7, sc in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sk next 2 chs, sc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, sc in first st, ch 2, sk next ch sp, sc in next st, turn.

Next rows: Rep row 2 until 1 piece fits easily around bottom of T-shirt and the other pieces fit easily around sleeves in multiple of 2 rows. At end of last row, fasten off.

Sew first and last rows tog to form circle.

NECK LACE

Row 1: With size H hook and lip pink, ch 4, sc in 4th ch from hook, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, sc in next sc, turn.

Next rows: Rep row 2 in multiples of 2 rows until piece fits easily around neck opening. At end of last row, fasten off.

Sew first and last rows tog, forming circle.

ASSEMBLY

Using sewing needle and sewing thread, sew Lace so that the ch-3 lps on 1 side of Lace are below the edge of fabric, to bottom edge of T-shirt, to bottom edge of sleeves and around neck opening.

HAT

CROWN

Rnd 1: With size H hook and 2 strands of lip pink held tog, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes)*. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each st around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] around. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 2 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: [Sc in next st, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] around. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 6: [Sc in each of next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 7: [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 5 sts] around. *(42 sc)*

Rnd 8: [Sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 3 sts] around. *(48 sc)*

Rnd 9: [Sc in each of next 7 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(54 sc)*

For Small Size Only

Rnd 10: [Sc in each of next 17 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(57 sc)*

For Large Size Only

Rnd [10]: [Sc in each of next [4] sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next [4] sts] around. *([60] sc)*

For All Sizes

Rnd 11 [11]: Sc in each st around.

Next rnds: Rep rnd 11 until piece measures 6¼ [6¾] inches from beg. At end of last rnd, **do not fasten off**.

BRIM

For Small Size Only

Rnd 1: Sc in each of first 3 sts, [sc in each of next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(66 sc)*

Rnd 2: [Sc in each of first 10 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(72 sc)*

Rnd 3: [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 11 sts] around. *(78 sc)*

Rnd 4: [Sc in each of next 6 sts, 2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 6 sts] around. *(84 sc)*

Rnd 5: [Sc in each of first 13 sts, 2 sc in next st] around. *(90 sc)*

Rnd 6: [2 sc in next st, sc in each of next 14 sts] around, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in next st. Fasten off. *(96 sc)*

Continued on page 109

Crochet trim on a purchased T-shirt with a matching hat make for an adorable ensemble for your toddler.

For Large Size Only

Rnd [1]: Sc in each of first [6] sts, [2] sc in next st, sc in each of next [5 sts] around. *([69] sc)*

Rnd [2]: [2] sc in next st, sc in each of next [10] sts] around to last [3]sts, sc in each of last [3] sts. *([75] sc)*

Rnd [3]: Sc in each of next [3] sts, [2] sc in next st, sc in each of next [11] sts] around. *([81] sc)*

Rnd [4]: [2] sc in next st, sc in each of next [12] sts] around to last [3] sts, sc in each of last 3 sts. *([87] sc)*

Rnd [5]: Sc in each of first [3] sts, [sc in each of next [13] sts, [2] sc in next st] around. *([93] sc)*

Rnd [6]: [2] sc in next st, sc in each of next [14] sts] around to last [3] sts, sc in each of last [3] sts, join in next st. Fasten off. *([99] sc)*

HAT BAND

Row 1: With size H hook and black, ch 7, sc in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, sk next 2 chs, sc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3, sc in first st, ch 2, sk next ch-2 sp, sc in next st, turn.

Next rows: Rep row 2 in multiples of 2 rows until piece fits easily around bottom of Crown on Hat. At end of last row, fasten off.

Sew first and last rows tog, forming circle.

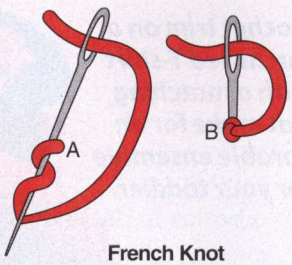
Place Hat Band on Hat and sew in place.

FLOWER

Make desired number using lip pink, baby pink and hot violet.

With size E hook, ch 3, (dc, ch 2, sl st, {ch 2, dc, ch 2, sl st} 4 times) in 3rd ch from hook. Fasten off.

Using **French knot** *(see illustration)*, with contrasting color, embroider 1 French knot in center of each Flower.



French Knot

BUTTERFLY

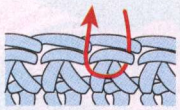
Make desired number.

Head

With size E hook and blossom, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

First Antenna

With RS facing, join hot green in **back bar** *(see illustration)* of any sc on Head, ch 3. Fasten off.



Back Bar of Single Crochet

2nd Antenna

With RS facing, sk next st from First Antenna, join hot green in back bar of next st, ch 3. Fasten off.

Body

Row 1: With RS facing, sk next st from 2nd Antenna, join hot green in back bar of next st, ch 3, sc in same st, turn.

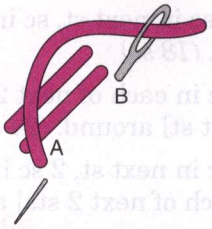
Rows 2–7: Ch 3, sc in last st, turn.

Row 8: Ch 3, sl st in last st. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Using French knot, with black, embroider 2 eyes on Head.

Using **straight stitch** *(see illustration)*, with lip pink, embroider mouth centered below eyes.



Straight Stitch

Wings

Row 1: With lip pink, ch 6, join in 6th ch from hook to form ring, sl st in ring, ch 3, (2 dc, {ch 2, 3 dc} 4 times) in ring. Fasten off.

Spread sts on ring so they cover the first 4 chs of ring, leaving an opening at top.

Row 2: With RS facing, join hot lilac with sc in first dc, sk next 2 dc, [(3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch sp, ch 1, sk next 3 dc] 3 times, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch sp, sk next 2 dc, sc in last dc. Fasten off.

Last rnd: With hot blue and RS facing, join in ring at opening on row 1, ch 1, 2 sc in ring, evenly sp 2 sc along side of first dc on row 1, sc in first st on row 2, sk next 3 sts, [(dc, {ch 1, dc} 5 times) in next ch sp, sk next 3 sts, sc in next ch sp, sk next 3 sts] 3 times, (dc, {ch 1, dc} 5 times) in next ch sp, sk next 3 sts, sc in next st, evenly sp 2 sc along side of last dc on row 1, sc in beg ch-6 ring, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Sew Body onto Wings as shown in photo.

Sew Butterflies and Flowers to Hat and Dress as desired. CW

Cat Fishing Pole

Design by Belinda "Bendy" Carter

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

SIZE

40 inches long

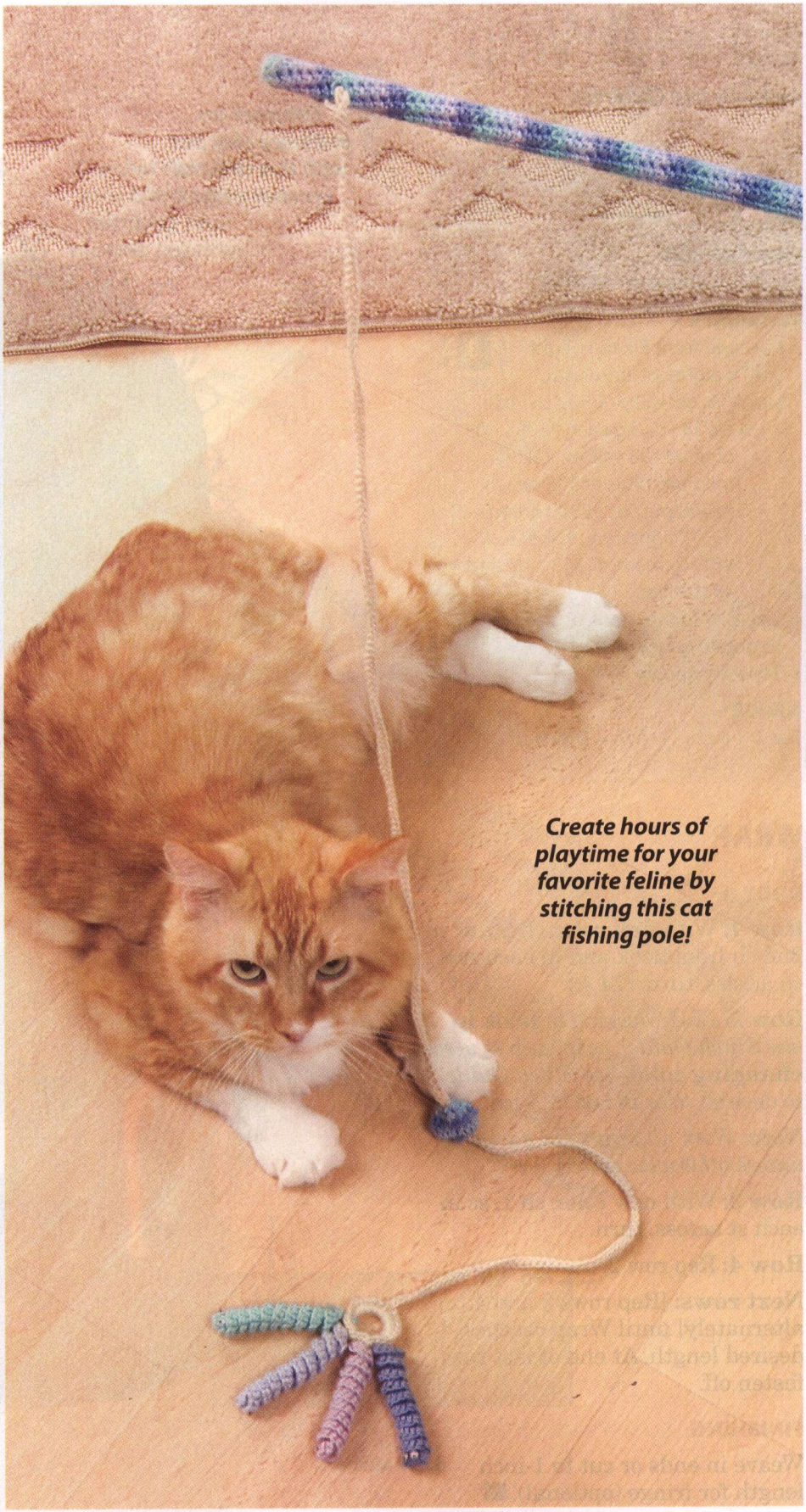
MATERIALS

- Fine (sport) weight yarn:
  3 oz/150 yds/85g blue variegated
  1 oz/50 yds/28g each blue, lilac, light blue, aqua and natural
- Size C/2/2.75mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- ¼-inch-diameter x 40-inch-long wooden dowel
- 1-inch plastic ring
- 9mm jingle bells: 4
- Stitch markers

2 FINE

GAUGE

Worm = 3 inches long



Create hours of playtime for your favorite feline by stitching this cat fishing pole!

PATTERN NOTES

Work in continuous rounds; do not join or turn unless otherwise stated.

Mark first stitch of each round.

FISHING POLE

POLE CASING

Rnd 1 (WS): With blue variegated, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes)*. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Sc in each st around.

Next rnds: Rep rnd 2 until piece measures 2 inches.

Insert dowel and check for fit. If Casing does not fit snugly around dowel, switch to smaller hook.

Next rnds: Rep rnd 2 until Casing measures same length as dowel.

Continued on page 105

Colorful Wrap

Design by Sue Childress

SKILL LEVEL

BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZE

2 inches wide x desired length

MATERIALS

- Cascade Yarns Fixation light (DK) weight cotton/elastic yarn (1¾ oz/100 yds/50g per ball): ¼ oz/14 yds/7g each #6085 hot pink, #1198 yellow, #2253 medium blue, #4545 peach, #6388 purple, #5800 green, #3077 light pink, #3628 red, #8176 cream, #5363 jade and #6399 lilac
- Size E/4/3.5mm hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

3 LIGHT

GAUGE

7 sc = 1 inch; 11 rows = 2 inches

WRAP

BODY

Row 1: With first color, ch 15, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(14 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, working in **back lp** *(see Stitch Guide)*, sc in each st across, **changing color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to desired color in last st, turn.

Note: *Work all rem sc in back lps unless otherwise stated.*

Row 3: With new color, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 4: Rep row 2.

Next rows: [Rep rows 3 and 4 alternately] until Wrap reaches desired length. At end of last row, fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in ends or cut to 1-inch length for fringe (optional). CW

Enhance an ordinary clay pot with this colorful crochet wrap.

Pet Blankets

Design by Michele Maks

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given for 18 inches square *(small)*; changes for 25½ x 27 inches *(medium)* and 36 inches square *(large)* are in [ ].

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 4 MEDIUM
  - **Small:** 312 yds taupe *(B)*
    245 yds coral/tan variegated *(A)*
  - **Medium:** 488 yds camouflage pink variegated *(A)*
    364 yds light pink *(B)*
  - **Large:** 936 yds linen *(A)*
    624 yds fuchsia/brown variegated *(B)*
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

12 sc = 4 inches; 15 sc rows = 4 inches

Crochet Fido his own blanket by stitching nine squares together.

BLANKET

SQUARE

Make 5 [5, 5] each of A and 4 [4, 4] each of B.

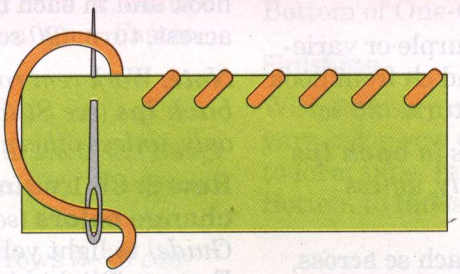
Row 1: Ch 19 [28, 37], sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. *(18 [27, 36] sc)*

Rows 2–22 [2–32, 2–45]: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of last row, fasten off.

FINISHING

Alternating Squares, using A, sew Squares tog in 3 rows of 3 Squares.

With A, work **overcast sts** *(see illustration)* around entire outer edge in each st and in end of each row around. CW



Overcast Stitch

Glass Cozies

Designs by Donna Collinsworth

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

SIZE

Instructions given fit 12-oz glass

MATERIALS

For one-color cozy

- Fine (baby) weight yarn: 1 oz/110 yds/30g light purple or variegated
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

For two-color cozy

- Fine (baby) weight yarn: ½ oz/55 yds/15g each light blue and light yellow
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

For four-color cozy

- Fine (baby) weight yarn: ½ oz/55 yds/15g each light green, light blue, light yellow and light purple
- Size E/4/3.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

6 sc = 1 inch

COZIES

ONE-COLOR COZY

Sides

Row 1: With light purple or variegated, ch 21, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch, turn. *(20 sc)*

Note: *Work rem rows in* ***back lps*** *(see Stitch Guide) only, unless otherwise stated.*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Rows 3–64: Rep row 2.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Bottom

Rnd 1: With same color, ch 4, join in 4th ch from hook to form a ring, ch 1, 8 sc in ring, join in first sc, **turn**. *(8 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, *2 sc in next sc, sc in next sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn. *(12 sc)*

Rnds 3 & 4: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 5: Ch 1, *2 sc in next sc, sc in each of next 2 sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 6: Ch 1, sc in each sc, join in first sc, turn.

Rnd 7: Ch 1, *2 sc in next sc, sc in next 3 sc, rep from * around, join in first sc, turn. *(45 sc)*

Rnd 8: Ch 1, *2 sc in next sc, sc in next 4 sc, rep from * around, join in first sc. *(54 sc)*

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Finishing

With tapestry needle and matching yarn color, sew ends of Sides tog to form tube. In same manner, sew Bottom to Sides.

TWO-COLOR COZY

Sides

Row 1: With light blue, ch 21, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(20 sc)*

Note: *Work rem rows in* ***back lps*** *(see Stitch Guide) only, unless otherwise stated.*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc, **change colors** *(see Stitch Guide)* to light yellow, turn. Fasten off light blue.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, change colors to light blue, turn. Fasten off light yellow.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each sc across change colors to light yellow, turn. Fasten off light blue.

Next rows: [Rep rows 3–6 consecutively] 15 times, ending last rep with row 4.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Bottom

With light blue, work same as Bottom of One-Color Cozy.

Finishing

With tapestry needle and matching yarn color, sew ends of Sides tog to form tube. In same manner, sew Bottom to Sides.

FOUR-COLOR COZY

Sides

Row 1: With light green, ch 21, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across, turn. *(20 sc)*

Just a small amount of yarn is transformed into useful helpers for serving cold drinks.

Note: *Work rem rows in* ***back lps*** *(see Stitch Guide) only, unless otherwise stated.*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in each sc, **change colors** *(see Stitch Guide)* to light blue, turn. Fasten off light green.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, change colors to light yellow, turn. Fasten off light blue.

Row 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in each sc, change colors to light purple, turn. Fasten off light yellow.

Row 7: Rep row 3.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc in each sc, change colors to light green, turn. Fasten off light purple.

Row 9: Rep row 3.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc in each sc, change colors to light blue, turn. Fasten off light green.

Next rows: [Rep rows 3–10 consecutively] 7 times, ending last rep with row 8.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Bottom

With light green, work same as Bottom of One-Color Cozy.

Finishing

With tapestry needle and matching yarn color, sew ends of Sides tog to form tube. In same manner, sew Bottom to Sides. CW

Sunflower Bookmark

Design by Luella Hinrichsen

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZES

Bookmark: Approximately 8¼ inches long

Flower: Approximately 2 inches in diameter

Butterfly: Approximately 1½ inches long

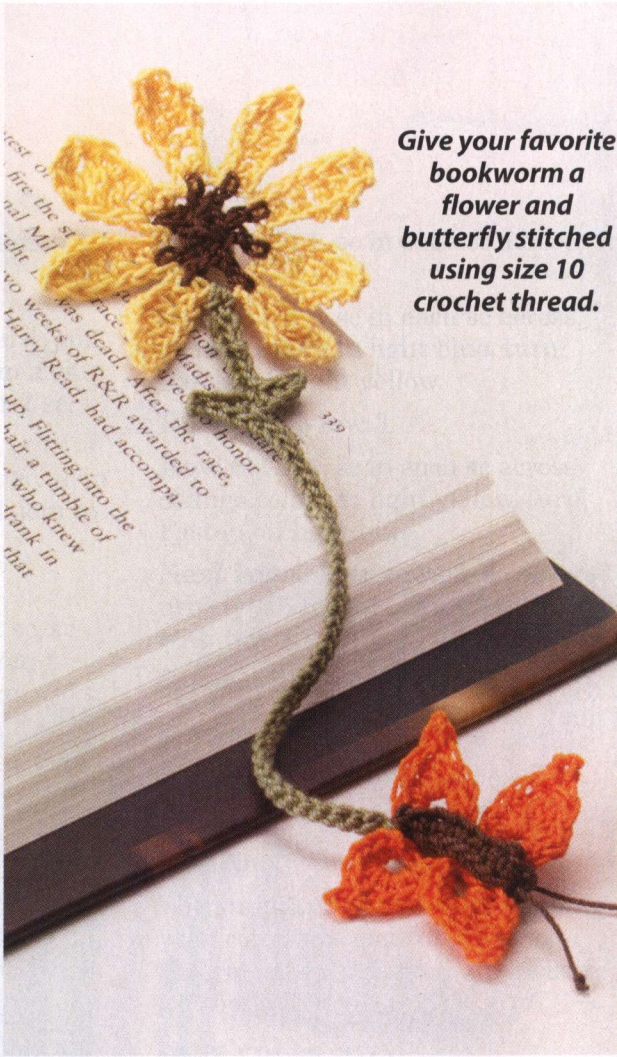
MATERIALS

- Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet size 10 crochet cotton (350 yds per ball): 25 yds each #422 golden yellow, #431 pumpkin, #672 olive and #131 fudge
- Size 5/1.80mm steel crochet hook
- Tapestry needle
- Craft glue
- Fabric stiffener

LACE

GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.



Give your favorite bookworm a flower and butterfly stitched using size 10 crochet thread.

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Picot: Ch 3, sl st in 3rd ch from hook.

BOOKMARK

FLOWER

First Petal

With golden yellow, ch 8, dc in 3rd ch from hook, tr in each of next 2 chs, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in last ch. Fasten off.

Petals 2–8

With golden yellow, ch 8, dc in 3rd ch from hook, tr in each of next 2 chs, dc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sc in last ch, **join** *(see Pattern Note)* in last st of previous Petal. Fasten off.

Center

Working in ends of Petals, join fudge in any Petal, ch 2, dc in next Petal, [**dc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 rows] 3 times, join in first dc. Leaving 6-inch length, fasten off.

FINISHING

Using 6-inch length, sew Center closed.

BUTTERFLY

Wings

Work as follows:

1. With pumpkin, *ch 6, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 6th ch from hook to form ring, ch 1, (2 sc, 2 hdc, dc, **picot**—*see Special Stitch*, dc, 2 hdc, 2 sc) in ring*, rep between * once *(bottom half of Wings)*, **do not join or turn**;

2. **ch 6, join in 6th ch from hook to form ring, ch 1, (2 sc, 2 hdc, dc, tr, picot, tr, dc, 2 hdc, 2 sc) in ring, rep between ** once *(top half of Wings)*, join in first sc. Fasten off.

Body

With fudge, leaving 6-inch length, ch 7, sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each of next 4 chs, 3 hdc in last ch *(head)*. Leaving 6-inch length, fasten off.

Antennae

Weave rem 6-inch lengths through to top of head. Tie knot in each length ⅜ inch from head.

FINISHING

Trim excess ends. Glue Body to Center of Wings.

STEM

Join olive between any 2 Petals, ch 12, *sl st in 2nd ch from hook, sc in next ch, hdc in next ch, sl st in next ch *(leaf)**, ch 38, join in bottom of Butterfly Body, working in Stem ch, sl st in each of next 38 chs, ch 5, rep between * once, sl st in each of last 7 chs. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Following manufacturer's instructions, stiffen all Bookmark parts except for center length of Stem. Let dry completely. CW

Dressed-Up Scrubbies

Design by Elaine Bartlett

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZES

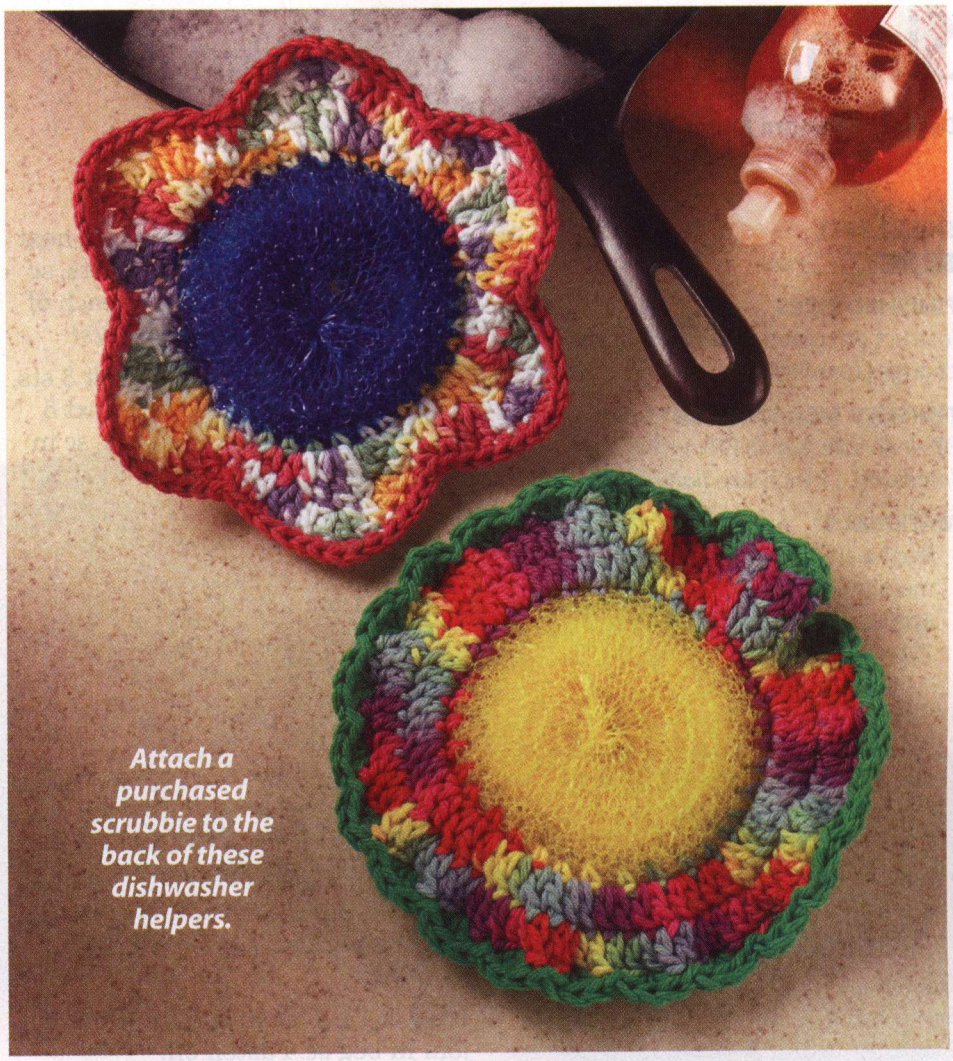
Approximately 7 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn: (4 MEDIUM)
  - **Version 1:** 1 oz/50 yds/28g each variegated and green
  - **Version 2:** 1 oz/50 yds/28g each variegated and rose
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook
- Purchased dish scrubbie about 3½ inches in diameter
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

Gauge is not important for this project.



Attach a purchased scrubbie to the back of these dishwasher helpers.

PATTERN NOTES

Each version of the Scrubbie takes 1 purchased dish scrubbie.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of rounds counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SCRUBBIE

VERSION 1

Rnd 1 (RS): With variegated, join with sc through mesh along side of purchased scrubbie, work 35 sc evenly sp around side, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in first sc. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 3 *(see Pattern Notes)* dc in same sc, 2 dc in each rem sc around, join in first sc. *(72 dc)*

Rnd 3: Ch 3, dc in next sc, 2 dc in next sc, *dc in each of next 2 sc, 2 dc in next sc, rep from * around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. *(96 dc)*

Rnd 4: Join green with sc in same ch as joining, sk next dc, 3 dc in next dc, sk next dc, sc in next dc, sk next dc, 3 dc in next dc, sk next dc, rep from * around, join in joining sc.

Fasten off and weave in all ends.

VERSION 2

Rnd 1 (RS): With variegated, join with sc through mesh along side of purchased scrubbie, work 35 sc evenly sp around side, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in first sc. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 2: Sc in next sc, (hdc, dc) in next sc, 3 tr in next sc, (dc, hdc) in next sc, sc in next sc, *sl st in next st, sc in next sc, (hdc, dc) in next sc, 3 tr in next sc, (dc, hdc) in next sc, sc in next sc, rep from * around, join in joining sl st. *(59 sts)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in next st, hdc in next st, 2 dc in next st, dc in next st, 3 dc in next st, dc in next st, 2 dc in next st, hdc in next st, sc in next st, sk next sl st, rep from * around, join in first sc. Fasten off. *(78 sts)*

Rnd 4: Join rose with sc in first hdc, sc in each of next 4 sts, 3 sc in next dc, sc in each of next 5 sts, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sc, *sc in each of next 5 sts, 3 sc in next dc, sc in each of next 5 sts, sc dec in next 2 sc, rep from * around, join in first sc. Fasten off. *(84 sts)*

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. CW

Simple Slippers

Design by Sandra Miller Maxfield

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given fit woman's small; changes for medium and large are in [ ]

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

8½-inch sole *(small)* [9¾-inch sole *(medium)*, 11-inch sole *(large)*]

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein):
  1 skein #365 coffee
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook for small size [H/8/5mm for medium size, I/9/5.5mm for large size] or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Elastic cord
- 12-inch square of 1-inch-thick poly foam cushioning

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Size G hook: 4 sc = 1 inch, 4 sc rows = 1 inch

Size H hook: 7 sc = 2 inches; 7 sc rows = 2 inches

Size I hook: 3 sc = 1 inch; 3 sc rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SLIPPERS

UPPER LEFT & LOWER RIGHT SOLE

Make 1 each.

Rnd 1: Starting at **toe**, ch 25, 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 22 chs, 5 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of ch, sc in each of next 22 chs, join in beg sc. *(54 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each of first 5 sts, sc in each of next 22 sts, 2 sc in each of next 5 sts, sc in each of next 3 sts, sl st in each of next 10 sts, sc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in each of last 7 sts, join in beg sc. *(64 sts)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 3 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 5 sts, hdc in each of next 12 sts, sc in each of next 10 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. *(71 sts)*

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each of first 4 sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, sc in each of next 7 sts, (sc, hdc) in next st, hdc in each of next 9 sts, (hdc, sc) in next st, sc in each of next 14 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 15 sts, (sc, hdc) in next st, dc in each of next 6 sts, (hdc, sc) in last st, join in beg sc. *(82 sts)*

***Note:** Using Upper Sole crochet piece as pattern, cut foam piece to match.*

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

UPPER RIGHT & LOWER LEFT SOLE

Make 1 each.

Rnd 1: Starting at **toe**, ch 25, 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each of next 22 chs, 5 sc in last ch, working on opposite side of ch, sc in each of next 22 chs, join in beg sc. *(54 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in each of first 5 sts, hdc in each of next 7 sts, sc in each of next 2 sts, sl st in each of next 10 sts, sc in each of next 3 sts, 2 sc in each of next 5 sts, sc in each of last 22 sts, join in beg sc. *(64 sts)*

Rnd 3: Ch 1, sc in each of first 7 sts, 3 sc in next st, sc in each of next 24 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 10 sts, hdc in each of last 12 sts, join in beg sc. *(71 sts)*

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each of first 8 sts, 2 sc in each of next 2 sts, sc in each of next 3 sts, (sc, hdc) in next st, dc in each of next 6 sts, (hdc, sc) in next st, sc in each of next 16 sts, [2 sc in next st, sc in next st] 5 times, sc in each of next 14 sts, (sc, hdc) in next st, hdc in each of next 8 sts, (hdc, sc) in last st, join in beg sc.

***Note:** Using Upper Sole crochet piece as pattern, cut foam piece to match.*

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

SIDES

Rnd 1: Working on 1 Upper Sole, in **front lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, join with sc at center back of heel, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. *(82 sc)*

Rnds 2 & 3: Ch 1, sc in each st around, join in beg sc.

Rnd 4: Ch 1, sc in each of first 3 sts, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts, [sc in each of next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts] around to last 2 sts, sc in each of last 2 sts, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(66 sc)*

Rep on rem Upper Sole.

VAMP

Make 2.

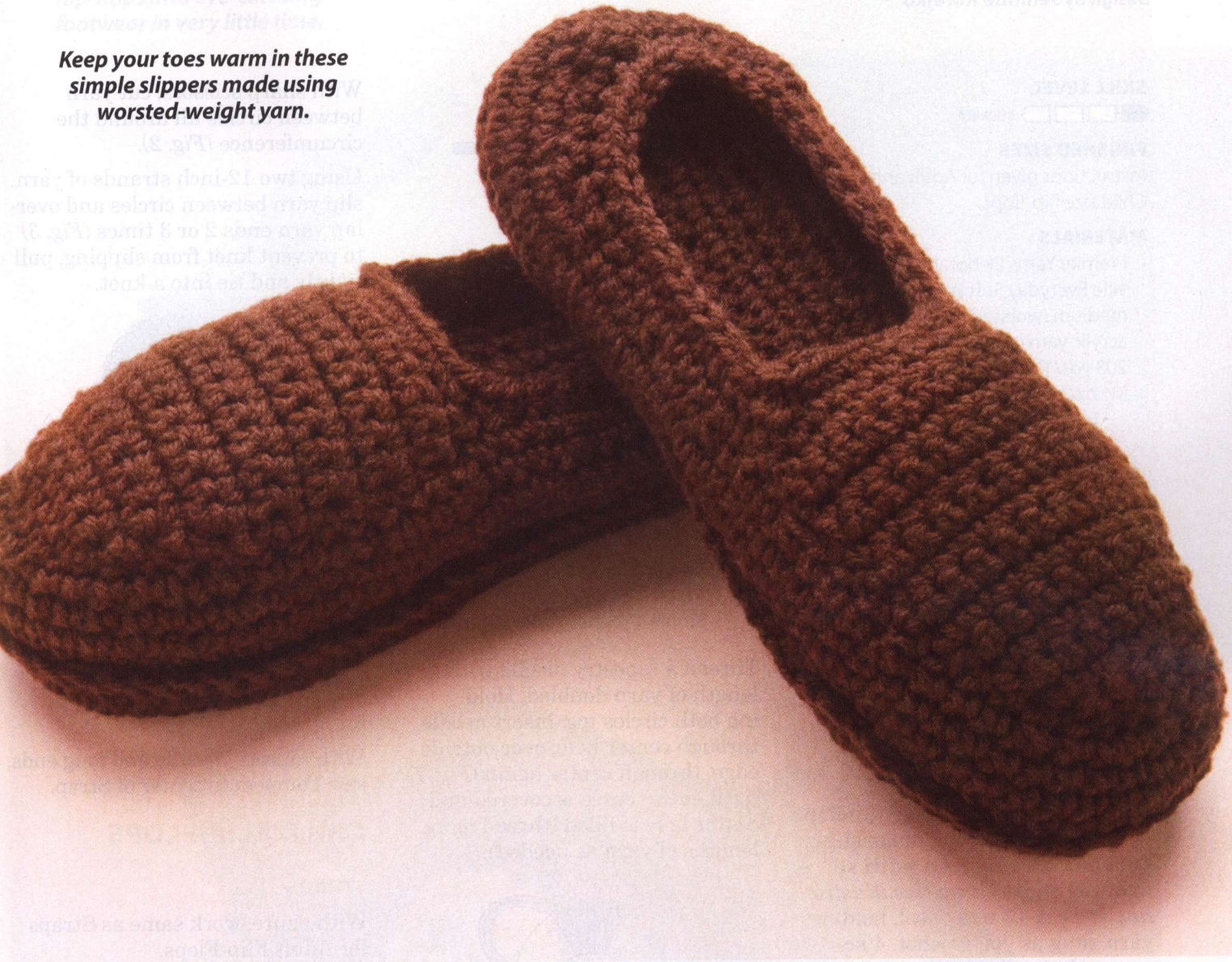
Row 1: Starting at **toe**, ch 7, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each ch across, turn. *(6 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first st, sc in each st across with 2 sc in last st, turn. *(8 sc)*

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 4–7: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately] twice. *(12 sc at end of last row)*

Rows 8–14: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. Fasten off at end of last row.



Keep your toes warm in these simple slippers made using worsted-weight yarn.

Easing to fit, sew toe and ends of rows on 1 Vamp centered to 32 sts at toe and Sides on 1 Slipper.

Rep with rem Vamp and Slipper.

EDGING

Rnd 1: Working around top opening on 1 Slipper, join with sc in first st on Sides after Vamp, sc in each of next 10 sts, [sk next st, sc in each of next 2 sts] 4 times, sc in each of next 11 sts, sc in each of next 12 sts across Vamp, **do not join**. *(42 sc)*

Note: *Cut 12 inches of elastic cord; tie ends tog.*

Rnd 2: Holding elastic cord next to sts and working over it, ch 1, sc in each of first 30 sts, sk next st, sc in each of next 10 sts, sk last st, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rep on rem Slipper.

ASSEMBLY

For each Slipper, holding matching Upper and Lower Soles WS tog with foam piece between, matching sts, working through **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)* of rnd 5 on Upper Sole and both lps of rnd 5 on Lower Sole, join with sc in any st, sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. CW

Easy Pompom Flip-Flops

Design by Jennine Korejko

SKILL LEVEL

BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZES

Instructions given for Adult and Child size flip-flops.

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Deborah Norville Everyday Soft Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (solids: 4 oz/203 yds/113g per ball; prints: 3½ oz/180 yds/99g per ball): 1 ball each #ED100-17 azure and #ED200-21 happy baby
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Small piece of cardboard
- One pair flip-flops

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

6 sc = 1 inch

ADULT FLIP-FLOPS

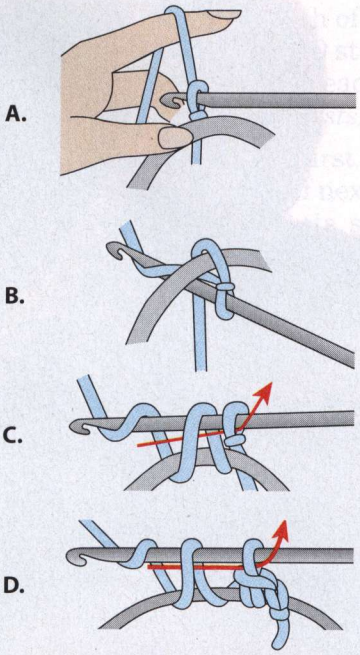
STRAPS

With happy baby, holding flip-flop with heel toward you, make slip knot on hook and **join with sc around right strap** *(see illustration steps A–C)* near heel, holding yarn snug as you crochet, 4 **sc around strap** *(see illustration step D)*, slide sts to very end of Strap *(keeping top of sts on center top of strap)*, continue to work sc around Strap until Strap is completely covered, sk toe and work sc around left Strap until completely covered. Fasten off and weave in ends.

POMPOM

Make 2 with azure.

Cut two 2½-inch-diameter cardboard circles. Cut a hole in center of each, about ½ inch in diameter.



Single Crochet Around Strap

Thread a tapestry needle with length of yarn doubled. Holding both circles tog, insert needle through center hole, over outside edge, through center again *(Fig. 1)* until entire circle is covered and center hole is filled (thread more lengths of yarn as needed).

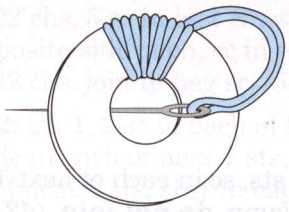


Fig. 1

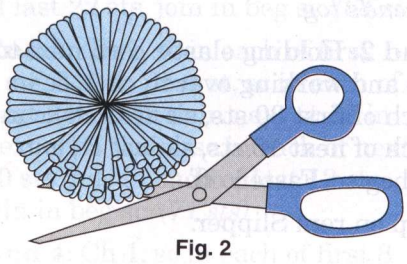


Fig. 2

With sharp scissors, cut yarn between circles all around the circumference *(Fig. 2)*.

Using two 12-inch strands of yarn, slip yarn between circles and overlap yarn ends 2 or 3 times *(Fig. 3)* to prevent knot from slipping, pull tightly and tie into a knot.

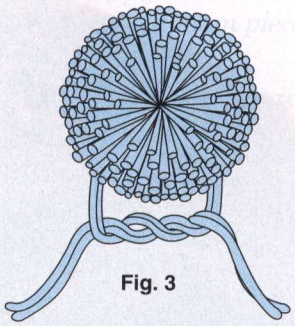


Fig. 3

Remove cardboard and fluff out pompom by rolling between hands. Trim ends even with scissors, leaving tying ends for attaching pompom.

FINISHING

With tapestry needle and long ends, sew Pompom to center of Strap.

CHILD FLIP-FLOPS

STRAPS

With azure, work same as Straps for Adult Flip-Flops.

POMPOM

Make 6 with happy baby.

Work same as Pompom for Adult Flip-Flops, cutting 1¼-inch diameter cardboard circles.

FINISHING

With tapestry needle and long ends, sew 1 Pompom to center of each strap. Referring to photo for placement, sew 2 Pompoms evenly spaced about 5 sts apart on outer strap of each flip-flop. CW

Transform ordinary rubber flip-flops into eye-catching footwear in very little time.

Home Sweet Home

Star Pot Holders

Design by Margret Willson

SKILL LEVEL

INTERMEDIATE

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 9 inches in diameter

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn:
  3 oz /150 yds/85g
  off-white
  1½ oz/75 yds/43g each A, B and C
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnd 1 = 2¼ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Chain-4 at beginning of round counts as first treble crochet unless otherwise stated.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated."

SPECIAL STITCH

Cluster (cl): Keeping last lp of each tr on hook, 4 tr in indicated st, yo, draw through all 5 lps on hook.

POT HOLDER

FRONT

Rnd 1 (RS): With A, ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 4** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 23 tr in ring, join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off. *(24 tr)*

Rnd 2: Join B with sc in same ch as joining, (sc, ch 10, sc) in each of next 3 tr, *sc in next tr, (sc, ch 10, sc) in each of next 3 tr, rep from * around, join in joining sc. Fasten off. *(18 ch-10 sps)*

Rnd 3: Join A with sc in any 3 ch-10 sps **at same time**, *†ch 5, **fpsc** *(see Stitch Guide)* around next tr on rnd 1, ch 5†, sc in next 3 lps **at same time**, rep from * 4 times, rep between † once, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: Join C with sc in any sc, *†ch 4, **cl** *(see Special Stitch)* in next unworked sc on rnd 2, ch 4†, sc in next sc on previous rnd, rep from * 4 times more, then rep from † to † once, join in joining sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join off-white in any ch-4 sp, *(see Pattern Notes)*, 4 dc in same sp, 5 dc in each rem sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(60 dc)*

Rnd 6: Ch 3, dc in each of next 4 dc, *dc in sp between last dc of 5-dc group and first dc of next 5-dc group, dc in each of next 5 dc, rep from * 10 times, dc in sp between last dc of 5-dc group and first dc of next 5-dc group, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Fasten off and weave in all ends.

BACK

Rnd 1: With off-white, ch 4, join in 4th ch from hook to form ring, ch 4, 23 tr in ring, join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. *(24 tr)*

Rnd 2: Ch 4, tr in same ch as joining, 2 tr in each tr, join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. *(48 tr)*

Rnd 3: Ch 4, tr in same ch as joining and in next tr, *2 tr in next tr, tr in next tr, rep from * around, join in 4th ch of beg ch-4. *(72 tr)*

Rnd 4: Ch 3, dc in each tr, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

ASSEMBLY

Hold front and back with wrong sides together, carefully matching sts, working through both pieces **at same time**, join B in any dc worked between 5-dc groups on front and corresponding dc on back.

Rnd 1: Ch 12 *(hanging loop)*, sc in each dc around, join in first ch of beg ch-12.

Rnd 2: 18 sc in hanging loop, *sc in next sc, ch 3, sk next sc, rep from * around, working in front of hanging loop, ch 3, join in first sc after loop. Fasten off.

Rnd 3: With one strand of A and C held together, join in any ch-3 sp, *ch 3, remove hook, insert hook in next ch-3 sp, draw dropped lp through, rep from * around, join in joining sl st.

Fasten off and weave in all ends. CW

Start with off-white and add any three colors for this out-of-the-ordinary but every-day-appreciated kitchen accessory.

Dishbottle Apron

Design by Tammy Hildebrand

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

9 inches tall to fit standard-size dish detergent bottle

MATERIALS

- Premier Yarns Deborah Norville Everyday Soft Worsted medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn: (solids: 4 oz/203 yds/113g per ball; prints: 3½ oz/180 yds/99g per ball):
  1 skein #ED200-12 flashback *(A)*
  77 yds #ED100-22 bittersweet *(B)*
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Sewing needle
- 7/16-inch button
- Sewing thread
- Stitch markers

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

4 sc = 1 inch; 3 dc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

APRON

SKIRT

Note: *Skirt is worked in* **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide) unless otherwise stated.*

Row 1 (RS): Beg at waist with A, ch 21, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, ch 3, sl st over side of last sc made *(button lp)*. Fasten off. *(20 sc)*

Row 2: With RS facing, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* A in first sc, ch 1, 2 sc in same sc, sc in each of next 9 sc, 2 sc in next sc, sc in each rem sc across. Fasten off. *(22 sc)*

Note: *Beg with row 3, place marker in first sc of 2 sc worked in center st in every 3rd row.*

Rnd 3: Now working in rnds, with RS facing, join A in first sc, ch 1, 2 sc in same st, sc in each rem sc around, working 2 sc in center sc, join in beg sc. *(24 sc)*

Rnds 4–24: Rep rnd 3. At end of last rnd, fasten off. *(66 sc at end of last rnd)*

BIB

Row 1: With RS facing, sk first 6 unused lps at bottom of foundation ch, join A in next unused lp, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, dc in each of next 7 unused lps, leaving rem unused lps unworked, turn. *(8 dc)*

Row 2: Ch 3, dc in each rem dc across, turn.

Rows 3 & 4: Rep row 2.

Row 5: Ch 3, dc in each rem dc across, ch 12, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. Fasten off.

BIB EDGING

With RS facing, join B in first unused lp of foundation ch of Skirt to right of first st of row 1 of Bib, ch 1, sc in same st, ch 3, working in ends of rows up side of Bib, (sc, ch 3) twice in end of each row, [sc in next ch, ch 3] 12 times, working down next side of Bib, (sc, ch 3) twice in end of each row to waist, sc in next unused lp on foundation ch. Fasten off.

SKIRT RUFFLES

First Ruffle

With RS facing, join B in first unused lp of first sc on row 2 of Skirt at back opening, ch 1, sc in same lp, *ch 3, sc in next unused lp, rep from * across. Fasten off.

2nd Ruffle

Sk next 2 rnds on Skirt, join B in first unused lp of marked st, ch 1, sc in same lp, ch 3, *sc in next unused lp, ch 3, rep from * around, join in beg sc.

3rd–8th Ruffles

Work same as 2nd Ruffle.

FINISHING

Sew button to row 1 of Skirt opposite button lp. CW

Add a bit of fancy to your kitchen with this cute dishbottle apron.

Hot Pads

Designs by Louise Puchaty

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

5½ inches x 5½ inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn:
  70 yds MC
- Size 10 crochet cotton:
  18 yds CC
  2½ yds yellow
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Size 6/1.80mm steel crochet hook
- Sewing needle
- Tapestry needle
- ¾-inch plastic ring (1 per hot pad)
- Sewing thread
- Stitch markers

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Size G hook: Rnds 1–9 = 2 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row or round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Hot pad is worked in continuous rounds. Do not join or turn unless stated.

Place marker at beginning of each round.

SPECIAL STITCH

Cluster (cl): Holding back last lp of each tr on hook, 2 tr in indicated sp, yo, draw through all 3 lps on hook.

HOT PAD

BODY

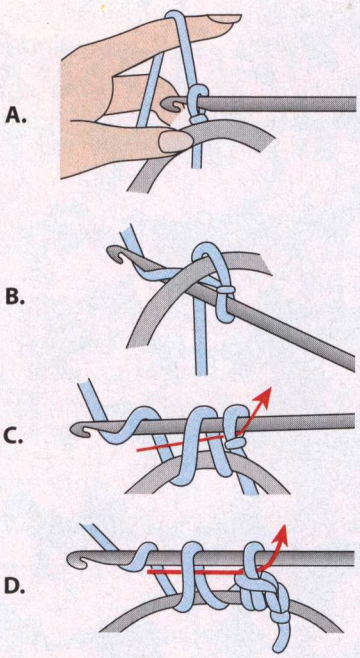
Rnd 1 (RS): With size G hook and MC, ch 22, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, working in unused lps on opposite side of foundation ch, sc in each lp across, **do not join**. *(42 sc)*

Rnd 2: Sc in each sc around.

Rnds 3–23: Rep rnd 2. At end of last rnd, leaving 8-inch end, fasten off.

HANGING RING

Join MC with **sc around plastic ring** *(see illustration steps A–C)*, **sc around ring** *(see illustration step D)* 13 times, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in joining sc.



Single Crochet Around Ring

FLOWER

Rnd 1 (RS): With size 6 steel hook and yellow, ch 6, join in 6th ch from hook to form ring, ch 1, sc in ring, ch 4, ***cl** *(see Special Stitch)* in ring, ch 4**, sc in ring, ch 4, rep from * 6 times, ending last rep at **, join in beg sc.

Rnd 2: Working behind cl, [ch 4, sl st in next sc] 5 times, ch 4, join in joining sl st. Fasten off.

First Petal

Row 1: With size 6 steel hook, join CC in any ch-4 sp on rnd 1, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 8 dc in same sp, turn. *(9 dc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, 2 sc in first dc, sc in each of next 7 dc, 2 sc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. *(11 dc)*

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each sc around, turn.

Rows 4 & 5: Rep row 3.

Row 6: Ch 1, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in first 2 sc, sc in each of next 7 dc, sc dec in last 2 sc, turn. *(9 sc)*

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, sc dec in first 2 sc, sc in each of next 5 dc, sc dec in last 2 sc, turn. *(7 sc)*

Row 9: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, turn.

Row 10: Ch 1, sc dec in first 2 sc, sc in each of next 3 dc, sc dec in last 2 sc, turn. *(5 sc)*

Row 11: Rep row 9.

Row 12: Ch 1, sc dec in first 2 sc, sc in next dc, sc dec in last 2 sc, turn. *(3 sc)*

Row 13: Ch 1, sc dec in 3 sc. Fasten off.

2nd–5th Petals

Work same as First Petal in each rem ch-4 sp.

FINISHING

Sew Flower to center of Hot Pad. Sew Hot Pad closed by picking up outside lp of each sc. Sew Hanging Ring to 1 corner. CW

These pretty hot pads are worked in continuous rounds to add double protection for your countertops.

Cushy Puff-Stitch Throw Rug

Design by Cindy Adams

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

29 x 34 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 39½ oz/1,960 yds/ 1,120g assorted scrap colors, including 3 shades of green
- Size P/Q/15mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

2 cls = 3½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Use non-slip layer under rug for safety.

Rug is made with 3 strands of yarn held together.

When **changing colors** *(see Stitch Guide)*, change only 1 color at random times to avoid abrupt color changes.

SPECIAL STITCH

Puff stitch (puff st): (Sc, 2 dc) in indicated st.

RUG

CENTER

Row 1 (RS): With 1 strand of 3 different scrap colors held tog *(see Pattern Notes)*, ch 48, **puff st** *(see Special Stitch)* in 2nd ch from hook, sk next 2 chs, *puff st in next ch, sk next 2 chs, rep from * across to last ch, sc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, cl in first sc, sk next 2 dc, *puff st in next sc, sk next 2 dc, rep from * to last sc, sc in last sc, turn.

Next rows: Changing colors *(see Pattern Notes and Stitch Guide)* as desired, rep row 2 until piece measures 27 inches from beg. At end of last row, change to 3 strands of green shades by drawing through, cut previous colors.

EDGING

Ch 1, puff st in first sc, sk next 2 dc, *puff st in next sc, sk next 2 dc, rep from * to last sc, sc in last sc, working across next side in ends of rows, work 14 puff sts evenly sp, working across next side, puff st in base of each puff st, working across next side in ends of rows, work 14 puff sts evenly sp, join in first puff st. Fasten off.

Weave in all ends. CW

Tired legs will enjoy this soft layer of comfort underfoot.

Scaredy-Cat Doorstop

Design by Kathleen Stuart

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 7 inches tall

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 5 oz/250 yds/142g black
- Size G/6/4mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- Polyester fiberfill
- Plastic bag filled with beans
- 9mm black animal eyes: 2
- 1-inch square piece of green felt

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

4 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTES

Work in continuous rounds. Do not join or turn unless otherwise stated. Mark beginning of each round.

DOORSTOP

HEAD

Notes: *Cut 2 eye pieces from felt. Make small hole in each center and place animal eye through hole. Trim felt to shape of eye. Set aside.*

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join** *(see Pattern Notes)*.

Rnd 2: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times. *(9 sc)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 4: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 5: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 6: *Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 7: *Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(36 sc)*

Rnds 8–10: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 11: *Sc in each of next 4 sc, **sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 12: *Sc in each of next 3 sc, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 13: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, sc dec in next 2 dc, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Note: *Place assembled eyes between rnds 4 and 5 about 2 sc apart. Stuff Head with fiberfill.*

Rnd 14: *Sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sc, rep from * around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 15: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times. *(6 sc)*

Finish off and weave in ends.

Stuff with additional fiberfill.

BODY

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: *Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 6: *Sc in each of next 4 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(36 sc)*

Rnd 7: *Sc in each of next 5 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(42 sc)*

Rnds 8–25: Sc in each sc around.

Note: *Insert bag of beans.*

Rnd 26: *Sc in each of next 5 sc, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(36 sc)*

Rnds 27 & 28: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 29: Working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, *sc in each of next 4 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(30 sc)*

Rnd 30: *Sc in each of next 3 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(24 sc)*

Note: *Stuff with fiberfill.*

Rnd 31: *Sc in each of next 2 sts, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 32: *Sc in next st, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 33: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times.

Finish off and weave in ends.

Stuff with additional fiberfill.

EARS

Make 2.

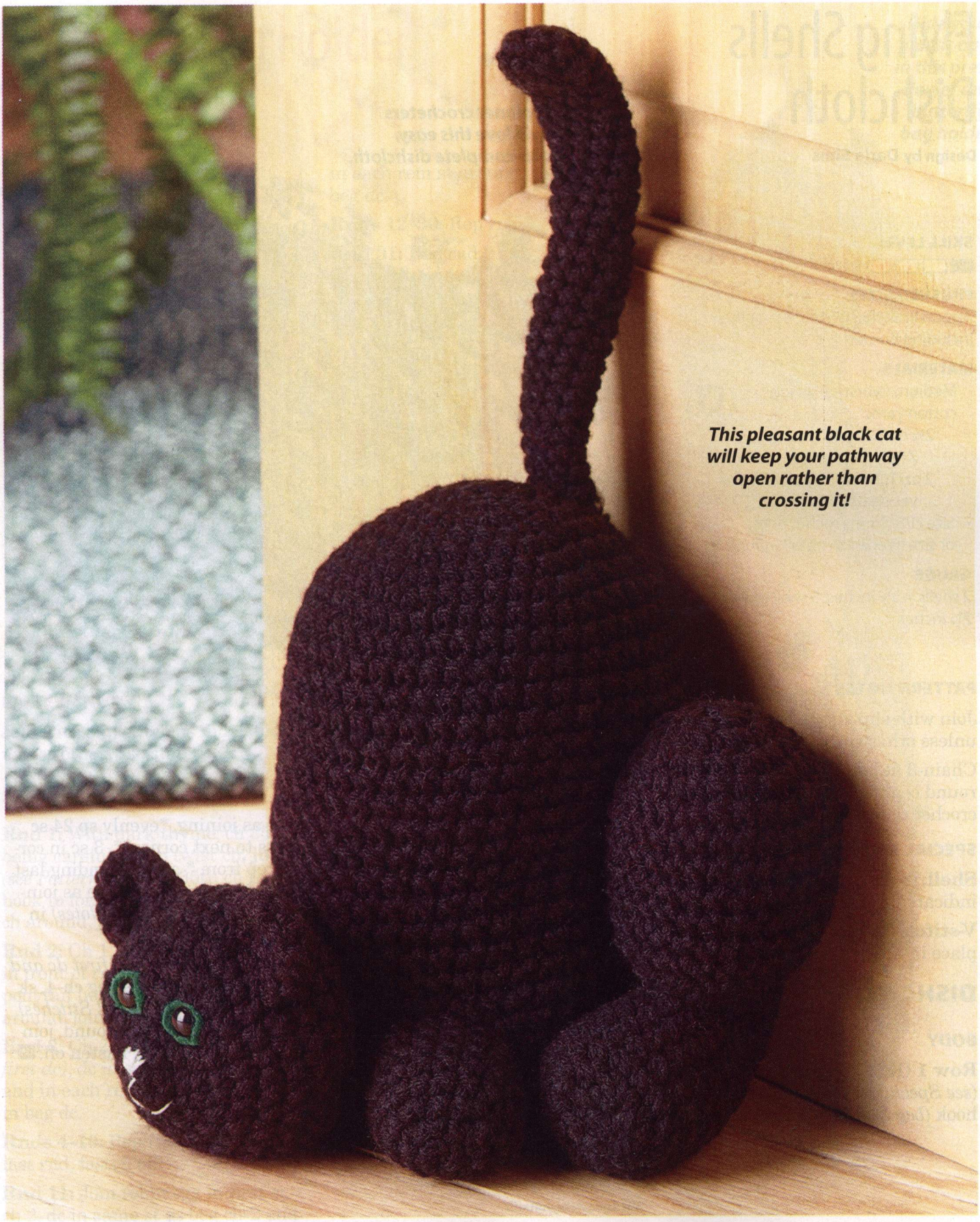
Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**.

Rnd 2: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times. *(9 sc)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 4: Sc in each sc around. Leaving 10-inch end for sewing, fasten off. Weave in rem end.

Continued on page 106



This pleasant black cat will keep your pathway open rather than crossing it!

Flying Shells Dishcloth

Design by Darla Sims

Beginner crocheters will love this easy, quick-to-complete dishcloth.

SKILL LEVEL

BEGINNER

FINISHED SIZES

Approximately 10½ inches square, including border

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight cotton yarn: (4 MEDIUM)
  - 2½ oz/125 yds/71g light blue *(A)*
  - 2 oz/100 yds/57g blue/white variegated *(B)*
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

GAUGE

2 shells = 3¼ inches; 3 shell rows = 2½ inches

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row or round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Shell: (4 dc, ch 3, dc) in place indicated.

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 1, dc) in place indicated.

DISHCLOTH

BODY

Row 1 (RS): With A, ch 29, **shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in 6th ch from hook *(beg 5 sk chs counts as first dc and 2 sk chs)*, [sk next 4 chs, shell in next ch] across to last 3 chs, sk next 2 chs, dc in last ch, turn.

Row 2: Ch 3 *(see Pattern Notes)*, shell in ch sp of each shell across, dc in last st, turn.

Rows 3–10: Rep row 2. At end of last row, fasten off.

BORDER

Rnd 1: Now working in rnds and in ends of rows, with RS facing, join B with sc in any corner, sc in same place as joining, *evenly sp 24 sc across to next corner**, 3 sc in corner, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, sc in same place as joining sc, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in beg sc. *(108 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 4 *(counts as first dc and ch-1)*, dc in same st as beg ch-4, sk next st, [**V-st** *(see Special Stitches)* in next st, sk next st] around, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off. CW

Butterfly Bag Holder

Designs by Tara Surprenant

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

15 inches long, excluding hanger

MATERIALS

- TLC Essentials medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (6 oz/312 yds/ 170g per skein):
  1 skein #2820 robin egg
  78 yds each #2675 dark thyme, #2101 white, #2220 butter, #2772 light country rose, #2672 light thyme and #2533 dark plum
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle
- 2 elastic ponytail holders

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

11 sc = 3 inches; 2 dc rows = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

BAG HOLDER

Rnd 1: With dark thyme, ch 35, being careful not to twist ch, **join** *(see Pattern Note)* in 35th ch from hook to form ring, ch 1, sc in each ch around, join in beg ch-1. *(35 sc)*

Rnd 2: Ch 1, hold ponytail holder in front of rnd 1, working over ponytail holder, sc in each st around, join in first sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 2 *(does not count as first dc)*, dc in same st as beg ch-2 and in each rem st around, join in beg dc.

Rnds 4–10: Rep rnd 3. At end of last rnd, fasten off.

Rnd 11: Join robin egg in first st, ch 2, dc in same st as beg ch-2 and in each rem st around, join in beg dc.

Rnds 12–30: Rep rnd 3.

Rnd 31: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 32: Ch 10 *(hanger)*, sc in same st as beg ch-10, sc in each rem st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

FIRST BUTTERFLY

Wing Side

Make 2.

Rnd 1: With dark plum, ch 2, 5 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(5 sc)*

Rnd 2: Join light country rose with sc in first st, sc in same st as joining, 2 sc in each st around, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(10 sc)*

Rnd 3: With light thyme, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 4: Join light country rose with sc in first st, sc in same st, 2 sc in each st around, join beg sc. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 5: Ch 1, sc in each of first 11 sts, sc in each of next 9 sc on rnd 2, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Body

Place Wings side by side, working through both thicknesses, with butter, sc Wings tog in 6 center sts as shown in photo. Fasten off.

2ND BUTTERFLY

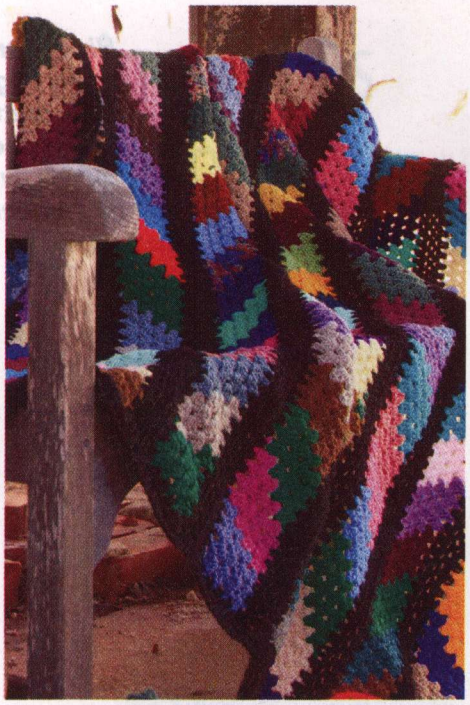
Wing Side

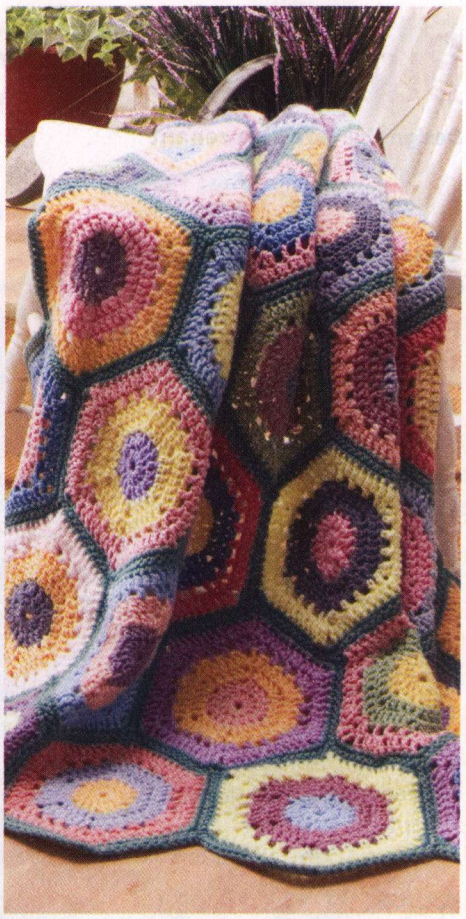
Make 2.

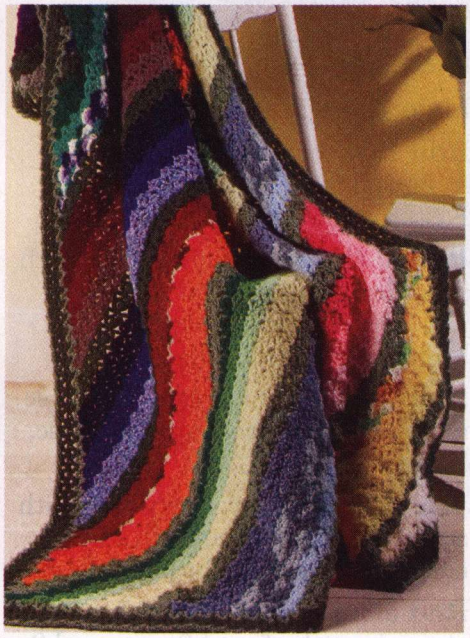
Rnds 1–5: Rep rnds 1–5 of Wing Side of First Butterfly using light thyme for dark plum and dark plum for light thyme.

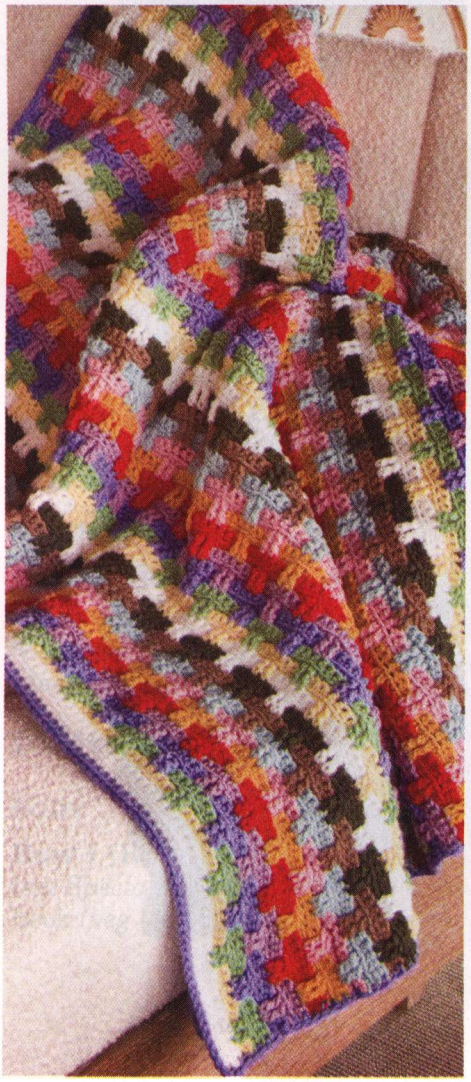
Continued on page 106

Hide your plastic bags in this pretty flower and butterfly bag holder.









Scrap Afghans

This bold, colorful throw reminds one of an Amish Bar Quilt. It's made using scrap worsted-weight yarn.

Vibrant Stripes Sampler Throw

Design by Katherine Eng

SKILL LEVEL

EXPERIENCED

FINISHED SIZE

40 x 44 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein):
  2 skeins #406 medium thyme
  1 skein each #321 gold, #718 shocking pink, #776 dark orchid, #312 black and #256 carrot
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Center Stripe rows 1–6 = 2 inches square

PATTERN NOTES

Row 1 of Center Stripe is right side of work. Row 2 establishes pattern stitch repeated in several places on Throw.

When working Stripes, Wedges and Corner Squares, always begin with right side facing.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

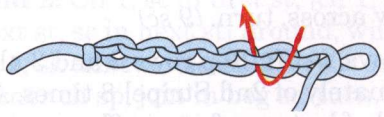
SPECIAL STITCH

Shell: 3 dc as indicated in instructions.

THROW

CENTER STRIPE

Row 1: With gold, ch 8, working in **back bar of ch** *(see illustration)* across, sc in 2nd ch from hook, [ch 1, sk next ch, sc in next ch] across, turn.



Back Bar of Chain

Rows 2–82: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next ch sp, sc in next st] across, turn.
At end of last row, fasten off.

FIRST SIDE (RIGHT OF CENTER)

2nd Stripe

Row 1: With shocking pink, pull up lp in end of ch on Center Stripe at bottom right according to Assembly Diagram, ch 1, sc in same ch as beg ch-1 and in end of each row across, turn. *(83 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in each st and in each ch sp across, turn.

Rows 4 & 5: Rep rows 2 and 3.
At end of last row, fasten off.

3rd Stripe

Row 1: With medium thyme, pull up lp in first sc on last row of 2nd Stripe, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [sk next st, **shell** *(see Special Stitch)* in next st, sk next st, sc in next st] across to last 2 sts, sk next st, 2 dc in last st, turn.

Rows 3–6: Ch 1, sc in first st, [shell in next sc, sc in center st of next shell] across, 2 dc in last st, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in first st, *hdc in next st, dc in next st**, hdc in next st, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **. Fasten off.

4th Stripe

Row 1: With shocking pink, pull up lp in first st at bottom of 3rd Stripe, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 2–5: Rep rows 2–5 of 2nd Stripe.

5th Stripe

Row 1: With gold, pull up lp in first st at bottom of 4th Stripe, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 2–6: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Ch 1, sc in each st and in each ch sp across. Fasten off.

6th Stripe

Rep 4th Stripe.

7th Stripe

Row 1: With carrot, pull up lp in first sc on 6th Stripe at bottom, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, [sk next ch-1 sp, shell in next st, sk next ch-1 sp, sc in next st] across, sk next ch-1 sp, 2 dc in last st, turn.

Rows 4 & 5: Rep rows 3 and 4 of 3rd Stripe.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, *hdc in next st, dc in next st**, hdc in next st, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **. Fasten off.

2ND SIDE

Rep 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Stripes on opposite side of Center Stripe.

First End (Left of Center)

First Small Corner

Row 1: With shocking pink, pull up lp in end of row 1 on 7th Stripe at top left on 2nd Side, ch 1, sc in end of each sc row and 2 sc in end of each dc row across 7th Stripe, turn. *(8 sc)*

Rows 2–8: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of last row, fasten off.

Top Stripe

Row 1: With carrot, pull up lp in end of last row of 6th Stripe at top right, ch 1, working in ends of rows, evenly sp 71 sc across to end of 6th Stripe on opposite Side, sl st in row 1 of Small Corner, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, [sk next ch-1 sp, shell in next st, sk next ch-1 sp, sc in next st] across, ending with sk next ch-1 sp, 2 dc in last st, sl st in row 4 of Small Corner, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, [shell in next sc, sc in center st of shell] across, 2 dc in last st, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first st, [shell in next sc, sc in center st of shell] across, 2 dc in last st, sl st in rows 7 and 8 of Small Corner, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, *hdc in next st, dc in next st**, hdc in next st, sc in next st, rep from * across, ending last rep at **. Fasten off.

2nd Small Corner

Work same as for First Small corner. Sl st odd-numbered rows of 2nd Small Corner to corresponding odd-numbered rows of Top Stripe as follows: row 1, sl st to row 1, row 3, sl st in row 3, row 5, sl st in top of dc on row 4, row 7, sl st in bottom of dc on row 6, sl st in top of same dc.

2nd End

Rep First End on bottom edge of Stripes.

Side Border (Left of Center)

First Panel

Row 1: With black, pull up lp in 2nd Small Corner on bottom, ch 1, 2 sc in same row, sc in end of each row across, turn. *(9 sc)*

Rows 2–17: [Rep rows 2 and 3 alternately of 2nd Stripe] 8 times. At end of last row, fasten off.

Green Side Stripe

Row 1: With medium thyme, pull up lp in first st of 7th Stripe at top left, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Row 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 3: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next ch-1 sp, sc in next sc] across, sl st in row 3 of First Panel, turn.

Row 4: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next ch-1 sp, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 5: Ch 1, sc in first st, sc in next ch sp, [**fptr** *(see Stitch Guide)* in front of next sc around sc of row 2 below, sc in next ch sp] across, ending with sc in last st, sl st in row 5 of First Panel, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] across, turn.

Row 7: Rep row 3, sl st in row 7 of First Panel, turn.

Row 8: Rep row 4.

Row 9: Rep row 3, sl st in row 9 of First Panel, turn.

Row 10: Rep row 4.

Row 11: Rep row 5, working fptr around sts on row 8.

Rows 12–17: Rep rows 6–11, sl st in corresponding rows on First Panel and working fptr around sts of row 14. At end of last row, fasten off.

2nd Panel

Row 1: With black, pull up lp in last row of First Small Corner at top left, ch 1, sc in end of first 7 rows, 2 sc in end of last row, sl st in row 1 of Green Side Stripe, turn.

Rows 2-17: Work same as First Panel, sl st in rows 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15 and 17 of Green Side Stripe. At end of last row, fasten off.

Rep Side Border on opposite Side.

End Border

First Large Corner

Row 1: With shocking pink, pull up lp in row 1 of 2nd Panel on Side Border, ch 1, sc in end of each row across, turn. *(17 sc)*

Rows 2–17: Ch 1, sc in each st across, turn. At end of last row, fasten off.

First Panel

Row 1: With black, pull up lp in first st of last row on First Small Corner, ch 1, 2 sc in same st, sc in each st across, sl st in row 1 of First Large Corner, turn.

Next rows: Continue as for other First Panels, sl st to every odd-numbered row on First Large Corner. At end of last row, fasten off.

End Stripe (Top)

Row 1: With dark orchid, pull up lp in top right st of Top Stripe, ch 1, sc in each st across, turn.

Rows 2–17: Rep rows 2–17 of Green Side Stripe, sl st in corresponding rows of First Panel. At end of last row, fasten off.

2nd Panel

Row 1: With black, pull up lp in top right st of 2nd Small Corner, ch 1, 2 sc in same st, sc in each st across, sl st in row 1 of End Stripe, turn.

Next rows: Continue as for other 2nd Panels, sl st to corresponding rows of End Stripe. At end of last row, fasten off.

2nd Large Corner

Row 1: With shocking pink, pull up lp in last row of First Panel on Side Border, ch 1, sc in end of each row across, turn. *(17 sc)*

Rows 2–17: Continue as for First Large Corner, sl st in corresponding rows of 2nd Panel. At end of last row, fasten off.

Rep End Border on rem end.

Edging

Rnd 1: With black, pull up lp in end of 2nd Large Corner at top right, ch 1, evenly sp 123 sc across each short end and 135 sc on each long edge with (sc, ch 2, sc) in each corner, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in beg sc, **turn**.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in first st, [ch 1, sk next st, sc in next st] around, with ch 1, sk next st, (sc, ch 2, sc) in each corner ch sp, join in beg sc, turn.

Rnd 3: Sl st in next ch sp, [ch 2, sk next st, sl st in next ch sp] around with ch 1, sk next st, (sl st, ch 3, sl st) in each corner ch sp, join in beg sl st. Fasten off. CW

Vibrant Stripes Sampler Throw
Assembly Diagram

Hexagonal Motif Lap Robe

Design by Edie Eckman

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 42 x 54 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  28 oz/1,400 yds/794g assorted scrap colors
  10 oz/500 yds/284g green
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Motif = 6¾ inches across

PATTERN NOTES

Join rounds with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

Chain-4 at beginning of round counts as first double crochet and chain-1 space as indicated unless otherwise stated.

When told to work in corner, work in corner chain-1 space unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning corner (beg corner): Ch 4 *(see Pattern Notes),* dc in same ch as beg ch-4.

Corner: (Dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated st or sp.

LAP ROBE

MOTIF

Make 48.

Note: *Mix scrap colors randomly.*

Rnd 1: With scrap color, ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 11 dc in ring, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. *(12 dc)*

Rnd 2: Beg corner *(see Special Stitches)*, *dc in next dc, **corner** *(see Special Stitches)* in next dc, rep from * 4 times, dc in next dc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off. *(24 dc)*

Rnd 3: Join 2nd scrap color in any ch-1 sp, beg corner in same sp, *dc in each of next 3 dc, corner **in next corner** *(see Pattern Notes)*, rep from * 4 times, dc in each of next 3 dc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 4: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, beg corner in same sp, *dc in each of next 5 dc, corner in next corner, rep from * 4 times, dc in each of next 5 dc, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join 3rd scrap color in any ch-1 sp, beg corner in same sp, *[dc in next dc, ch 1, sk next dc] 4 times, dc in next dc, corner in next corner, rep from * 4 times, [ch 1, sk next dc, dc in next dc] 3 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 6: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, beg corner in same sp, *dc in each dc and in each ch-1 sp to next corner, corner in next corner, rep from * 4 times, dc in each dc and in each ch-1 sp to beg ch-4, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Rnd 7: Join green in any ch-1 sp, *3 sc in same sp, sc in each dc to next corner ch-1 sp, 3 sc in corner ch-1 sp, rep from * 4 times more, sc in each dc to first sc, join in first sc. Fasten off. *(84 sc)*

Weave in ends.

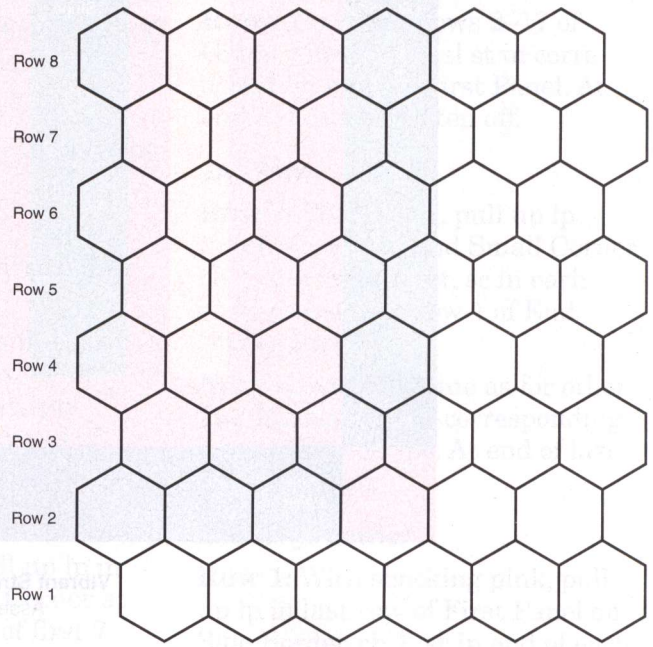
ASSEMBLY

Referring to diagram for placement, join Motifs tog. To join Motifs, hold 2 Motifs with RS tog, carefully matching sts. With green, working through both thicknesses, sc evenly sp across 1 side. Join rem Motifs in same manner, joining additional sides as necessary.

BORDER

Join green in any joining, ch 1, sc in each sc and in each joining around outside edge of Lap Robe, join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends. CW



Hexagonal Motif Lap Robe Assembly Diagram

48 motifs make up this colorful scrap Lap Robe.

Dreamer's Throw

Design by Christine Grazioso Moody

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 43 x 58 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  28 oz/1,400 yds/794g
  40 assorted scrap colors
  15½ oz/775 yds/439g white
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size required for gauge

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

3 sc = 1 inch

PATTERN NOTE

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

THROW

STRIP

Make 40.

With any scrap color, ch 191 loosely, sc in 2nd ch from hook and in each rem ch across to last ch, 3 sc in last ch *(corner)*, working in unused lps on opposite side of beg ch, sc in each lp across to last lp, 2 sc in last lp *(corner)*, **join** *(see Pattern Note)* in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends.

Work each additional strip with different scrap color.

ASSEMBLY

Lay out strips in pleasing manner Join Strips as follows:

1. To join strips, hold 2 strips with WS tog and bottom edges at top, carefully matching sts;

2. working through both thicknesses **at same time**, join white in back lp of first sc to right of 3-sc end on top strip and corresponding sc on back strip, ch 1, sc in same lp;

3. working in **back lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, sc in each sc across to 3-sc group at opposite end of Strip;

4. finish off and weave in ends;

5. join rem Strips in same manner.

BORDER

Hold Throw with RS facing and one short end at top, join white in first sc of top corner of first Strip at right-hand edge, ch 1, 2 sc in same sc and in each of next 2 sc, sc in next joining, †2 sc in each of next 3 sc, sc in next joining†, rep between † across to corner of last Strip, 2 sc in each of next 3 sc, working across next side, sc in each sc across to next corner, working across next side, rep between † across to corner of last Strip, 2 sc in each of next 3 sc, working across next side, sc in each sc to first sc, join in first sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends. CW

Forty strips use up lots of scrap yarn in this pretty rainbow-color afghan.

Eye Dazzler Afghan

Design by Margret Willson

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 52 x 76 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  84 oz/4,200 yds/2,381g scrap colors
  7 oz/350 yds/198g off-white
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

Rnds 1–5 = 6 x 8 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

Chain-3 at beginning of row or round counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

AFGHAN

CENTER

Rnd 1 (RS): With any color, ch 4, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in 4th ch from hook to form a ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Notes)*, 2 dc in ring, ch 3, (3 dc in ring, ch 3) 3 times, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 2: Join next color in any ch-3 sp, ch 3, (2 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in same sp as beg ch-3, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in each rem ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, **turn**.

Rnd 3 (WS): Ch 3, 2 dc in sp between first 2 dc, *(3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp *(corner)*, 3 dc in sp between next 2 dc groups, rep from * twice, (3 dc, ch 3, 3 dc) in next ch-3 sp *(corner)*, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off and turn.

Rnd 4: Join next color with sc in any corner, ch 3, (3 dc, ch 3, sc) in same corner *(beg corner)*, *†[(ch 3, 2 dc) in sc just made, sc in sp between next 2 dc-groups] twice, (ch 3, 2 dc) in sc just made †, (sc, ch 3, 3 dc, ch 3, sc) in corner ch-3 sp *(corner)*, rep from * twice, then rep between † once, join in joining sc. Fasten off and turn.

Rnd 5: Join next color with sc in first ch-3 sp of any corner, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in each of next 4 ch-3 sps, *sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, (sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in each of next 4 ch-3 sps, rep from * twice, join in joining sc. Fasten off and turn.

Rnd 6: Join next color with sc in ch-3 sp to right of any 3-dc group, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to ch-3 sp before next 3-dc group, *sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, rep between † across to ch-3 sp before next 3-dc group, rep from * around, join in joining sc. Fasten off and turn.

Rnds 7–35: Rep rnd 6.

DOUBLE CORNER SECTION

Note: *Mark 2 opposite 3-dc groups as centers of side edges of Afghan. Remainder of Afghan is worked in rows.*

Row 1 (RS): Join next color with sc in ch-3 sp to left of one marked 3-dc group, *†ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, ††(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp††, rep between †† across to ch-3 sp before next 3-dc group, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, rep between †† across to ch-3 sp before next marked 3-dc group, sl st in next ch-3 sp, fasten off color†, sk next 3 dc, join same color with sc in next ch-3 sp, rep from * twice, rep between † once, turn.

Row 2: Join next color with sc in first ch-3 sp, †ch 3, 2 dc in same sp, ††(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp††, rep between †† across to ch-3 sp before next 3-dc group, sc in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, dc in each of next 3 dc, ch 3, rep between †† across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp, Fasten off†. On next side, join same color with sc in next ch-3 sp, rep between † once, turn.

Rows 3–16: Rep row 2. At end of last row, fasten off.

SINGLE CORNER SECTIONS

Note: *All Corner Sections are worked in same color sequence.*

First Corner Section

Row 1: Join next color with sc in unused ch-3 sp to left of either 3-dc group, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Row 2: Join next color with sc in first ch-3 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Rows 3–33: Rep row 2.

Row 34: Join next color with sc in first ch-3 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, (sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp, sl st in next ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Row 35: Join next color with sc in first ch-3 sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, sl st in next ch-3 sp. Fasten off. Weave in ends.

Second Corner Section

Row 1: Working in same color sequence as First Corner Section, make slip knot on hook and join with sc in ch-3 sp to left of 3-dc group on opposite corner, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Rows 2–35: Rep rows 2–35 of First Corner Section.

Third Corner Section

Row 1: Hold piece with one marked 3-dc group to right, working in same color sequence as First Corner Section, join with sc in first ch-3 sp of row 16, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Rows 2–35: Rep rows 2–35 of First Corner Section.

Fourth Corner Section

Row 1: Working in same color sequence as First Corner Section, make slip knot on hook and join with sc in ch-3 sp to left of 3-dc group on opposite corner, join with sc in first ch-3 sp of row 16, ch 3, 2 dc in same sp as beg ch-3, †(sc, ch 3, 2 dc) in next ch-3 sp†, rep between † across to last ch-3 sp, sl st in last ch-3 sp. Fasten off and turn.

Rows 2–35: Rep rows 2–35 of First Corner Section.

BORDER

Rnd 1: Hold piece with RS facing and one short end at top, join off-white with sc in first dc in upper right-hand corner, 2 sc in same dc as joining, †working across side, sc in next dc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, ††sc in each of next 2 dc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp††, rep between †† 15 times, sc in each of next 2 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, rep between †† 17 times, 3 sc in next dc

Continued on page 107

Start this sparkling afghan in the round and then add the corners in rows for a unique look.

Bright diagonal stripes will shine in any room of the house.

Rainbow Stripe Afghan

Design by Joyce Nordstrom

SKILL LEVEL
EASY

FINISHED SIZE
50 x 60 inches

MATERIALS
- Medium (worsted) weight yarn: 10 oz/500 yds/284g each light and dark scrap colors
- Size I/9/5.5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE
7 block V-sts = 6 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Change colors as desired, working 2 or 3 rows of each color. Use light-color scraps for rows 1–57 and dark-color scraps for remaining rows.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Puff stitch (puff st): [Yo, draw up lp in st or sp indicated] 4 times, yo and draw through all 9 lps on hook.

V-stitch (V-st): (Dc, ch 1, dc) in indicated place.

Beginning V-stitch group (beg V-st group): Ch 6, V-st in 4th ch from hook.

V-stitch group (V-st group): (Sl st, ch 3, V-st) in indicated place.

Beginning corner (beg corner): Ch 4 *(counts as first dc and ch-1 sp)*, (dc, ch 3, V-st) in same sp as beg ch-4.

Corner: (V-st, ch 3, V-st) in indicated place.

AFGHAN

BODY

Row 1 (WS): With scrap color, ch 6, **V-st** *(see Special Stitches)* in 4th ch from hook, sk next ch, dc in next ch, turn.

Row 2 (RS): Beg V-st group *(see Special Stitches)*, **V-st group** *(see Special Stitches)* in sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, turn.

Row 3: Beg V-st group, V-st group in next ch-3 sp, V-st group in sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, turn. *(3 V-st groups)*

Row 4: Beg V-st group, V-st group in each of next 2 ch-3 sps, V-st group in sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, turn. *(4 V-st groups)*

Row 5: Beg V-st group, *V-st group in next ch-3 sp, rep from * to sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, V-st group in sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, turn. *(5 V-st groups)*

Rows 6–9: Rep row 5. *(9 V-st groups at end of row 9)*

Row 10: Ch 6, dc in first dc, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, *dc in next sl st, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, rep from * across, V-st in base of beg 3 sk chs, turn.

Row 11: Ch 6, **puff st** *(see Special Stitches)* in 4th ch from hook, ch 2, *(sl st, ch 3, puff st) in next ch-4 sp, ch 2, rep from * across to sp formed by beg ch-6, (sl st, ch 3, puff st) in sp formed by beg ch-6, ch 2, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, turn.

Row 12: Ch 6, dc in first dc, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, *dc in next sl st, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 3, rep from * across, V-st in base of beg 3 sk chs, turn.

Row 13: Beg V-st group, *V-st group in next ch-3 sp, rep from * to sp formed by beg ch-6, V-st group in sp formed by beg ch-6, turn. *(13 V-st groups)*

Rows 14–21: Rep row 5. *(21 V-st groups at end of row 21)*

Rows 22–25: Rep rows 10–13.

Rows 26–33: Rep row 5. *(33 V-st groups at end of row 33)*

Rows 34–37: Rep rows 10–13.

Rows 38–45: Rep row 5. *(45 V-st groups at end of row 45)*

Rows 46–49: Rep rows 10–13.

Rows 50–57: Rep row 5. *(57 V-st groups at end of row 57)*

Row 58: Ch 6, dc in first dc, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, *dc in next sl st, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, rep from * across to last sl st, dc in last sl st, ch 2, sl st in sp formed by beg 3 sk chs, turn.

Note: *Mark beg of row 59 as dec side.*

Row 59: Ch 3, (sl st, ch 3, puff st) in next ch-4 sp, ch 2, *(sl st, ch 3, puff st) in next ch-4 sp, ch 2, rep from * across to sp formed by beg ch-6, (sl st, ch 3, puff st) in sp formed by beg ch-6, ch 2, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-6, turn.

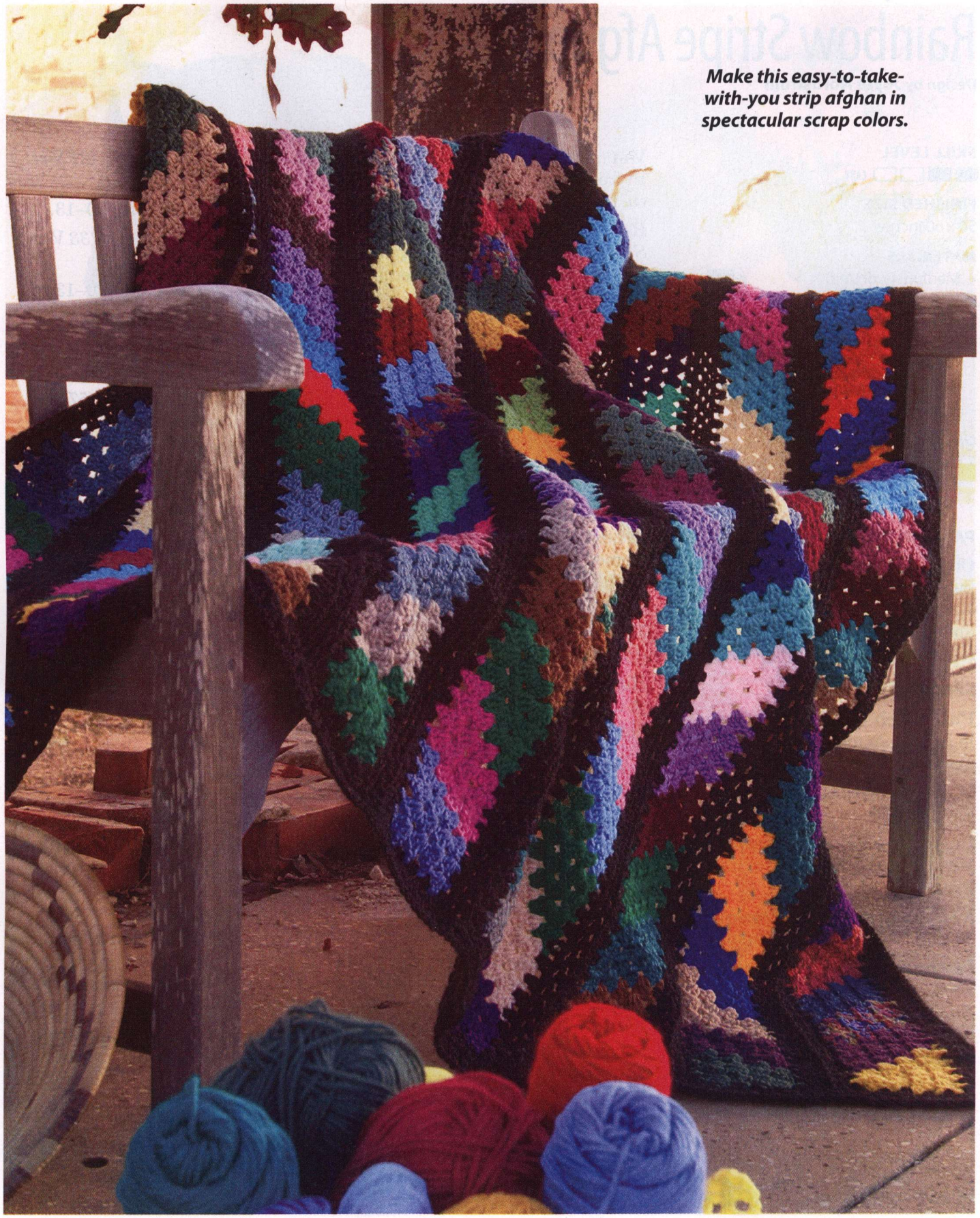
Row 60: Ch 6, dc in first dc, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, *dc in next sl st, ch 2, sl st in next ch-3 sp, ch 4, rep from * across to last sl st, dc in last sl st, ch 2, sl st in sp formed by beg ch-3, turn.

Rows 61–73: Continue in pattern as established, dec 1 V-st group at dec side and inc 1 V-st group at other side.

Next rows: Continue in pattern as established, dec 1 V-st group at each side, until 1 V-st group remains. At end of last row, fasten off.

Weave in all ends.

Continued on page 108



Make this easy-to-take-with-you strip afghan in spectacular scrap colors.

Slanted Stripes Afghan

Design by Margret Willson

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

Approximately 50 x 63 inches

MATERIALS

- Medium (worsted) weight yarn:
  45 oz/2,250 yds/1,276g assorted scrap colors
  35 oz/1,750 yds/992g black
- Size H/8/5mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge

4 MEDIUM

GAUGE

6 rows = 4½ inches

PATTERN NOTE

Chain-3 at beginning of row counts as first double crochet unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCHES

Beginning double crochet corner (beg dc corner): (Dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in same sp as beg ch-3.

Double crochet corner (dc corner): (2 dc, ch 1, 2 dc) in indicated st or sp.

Beginning single crochet corner (beg sc corner): (Ch 3, sc) in same sp as join.

Single crochet corner (sc corner): (Sc, ch 3, sc) in indicated st or sp.

AFGHAN

STRIP

Make 10.

Row 1 (RS): With any scrap color, ch 4, join in 4th ch from hook to form ring, **ch 3** *(see Pattern Note)*, 4 dc in ring, turn. *(5 dc)*

Row 2: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc, sk next dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

***Note:** On following rows, sp refers to sp between 3-dc groups.*

Row 3: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 4: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 5: Ch 3, dc in next dc, 3 dc in each of next 3 sps, sk next 3 dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 6: Ch 3, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in each of next 3 sps, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, **changing color** *(see Stitch Guide)* to new scrap color, turn.

Row 7: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc and in each of next 3 sps, sk next 3 dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 8: Ch 3, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in each of next 3 sps, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 9: Ch 3, 3 dc in next dc and in each of next 3 sps, sk next 3 dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 10: Ch 3, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in each of next 3 sps, sk next 2 dc, 3 dc in next dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, changing to new scrap color, turn.

Row 11–86: [Rep rows 7–10 consecutively] 19 times.

Rows 87–89: Rep rows 7–9.

Row 90: Ch 3, 3 dc in each of next 2 sps, sk next 3 dc, dc in next dc, leaving rem sts unworked, turn.

Row 91: Ch 3, sk next 3 dc, 3 dc in next sp, sk next 3 dc, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 92: Ch 1, dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

STRIP BORDER

***Note:** Arrange Strips in pleasing manner. Working from right to left, number Strips from 1–10.*

Odd-Number Strips

Hold Strip with WS facing, short end at top and beg ring in upper right-hand corner, join black in beg ring, ch 3, **beg dc corner** *(see Special Stitches)*, working across bottom edge in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each of next 4 rows, **dc corner** *(see Special Stitches)* in 3rd ch of beg ch-3 of row 4, working across next side in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each row to row 92, dc corner in sp formed by ch-1 sp and dc of row 92, working across top edge, 2 dc in side of same dc of row 92, 2 dc in each of next 2 sps, 2 dc in next unused dc on row 89, dc corner in sp formed by beg ch of next row, working across next side in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each row, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Weave in ends. Mark this side of Strip as RS.

Even-Number Strips

Hold Strip with RS facing you, long side at top and beg ring in upper right-hand corner, join black in beg ring, ch 3, beg dc corner in same sp, working across next side in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each row to row 89, dc corner in next sp at end of row 89, working across next side, sk next dc, 2 dc in next dc and in each of next 2 sps, dc corner in sp formed by ch 1 and dc of row 92, working across next side, 2 dc

Continued on page 108

Scrap Afghan

Design by Glenda Winkleman

SKILL LEVEL

EASY

FINISHED SIZE

51 inches x 62 inches

MATERIALS

- Red Heart Super Saver medium (worsted) weight acrylic yarn (7 oz/364 yds/198g per skein):
  1 skein each #322 pale yellow, #316 soft white, #319 cherry red, #360 cafe, #530 orchid, #633 dark sage, #668 honeydew, #372 rose pink, #381 light blue, #885 delft blue and #321 gold
- Size J/10/6mm crochet hook or size needed to obtain gauge
- Tapestry needle

GAUGE

13 sts = 4 inches; 5 rows = 4 inches

PATTERN NOTES

Weave in ends as work progresses.

Join with slip stitch as indicated unless otherwise stated.

SPECIAL STITCH

Long treble crochet (lng tr): Yo twice, insert hook in st indicated, yo, draw lp up to height of working row, (yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) 3 times.

AFGHAN

BODY

Row 1: With soft white, ch 159, sc in 2nd ch from hook, sc in each rem ch across, turn. *(158 sc)*

Row 2: Ch 1, working in **front lps** *(see Stitch Guide)*, sc in each sc across, turn. Fasten off.

Row 3: Join *(see Pattern Notes)* pale yellow in **back lp** *(see Stitch Guide)* of first sc, ch 1, sc in same lp, working in back lps, sc in each rem sc across, turn.

Row 4: Rep row 2.

Row 5: Join honeydew in back lp of beg sc, ch 1, sc in back lp of each of first 2 sc, **lng tr** *(see Special Stitch)* in front lp of each of next 2 corresponding sc 3 rows below, *sk 2 sc of row 4 behind 2 tr just made, sc in back lp of each of next 6 sc, lng tr in front lp of each of next 2 corresponding sc 3 rows below, rep from * across to last 2 sc, sc in back lp of each of last 2 sc, turn.

Row 6: Ch 1, working in front lps, sc in each st across, turn. Fasten off.

Row 7: Join delft blue in back lp of first sc, ch 1, sc in back lp of each of first 6 sts, *lng tr in front lp of each of next 2 corresponding sc 3 rows below, *sk 2 sc on row 6 behind 2 tr just made, sc in back lp of each of next 6 sc, rep from * across, turn.

Row 8: Ch 1, working in front lps, sc in each st across, turn. Fasten off.

Rows 9 & 10: With orchid, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 11 & 12: With cherry red, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 13 & 14: With gold, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 15 & 16: With rose pink, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 17 & 18: With light blue, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 19 & 20: With cafe, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 21 & 22: With dark sage, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 23 & 24: With soft white, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 25 & 26: With pale yellow, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 27 & 28: With honeydew, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 29 & 30: With delft blue, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 31 & 32: With orchid, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 33 & 34: With cherry red, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 35 & 36: With gold, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 37 & 38: With rose pink, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 39 & 40: With light blue, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 41 & 42: With cafe, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 43 & 44: With dark sage, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 45 & 46: With soft white, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 47 & 48: With pale yellow, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 49 & 50: With honeydew, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 51 & 52: With delft blue, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 53 & 54: With orchid, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 55 & 56: With cherry red, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 57 & 58: With gold, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 59 & 60: With rose pink, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 61 & 62: With light blue, rep rows 5 and 6.

Continued on page 108

Empty your scrap box with this beautiful, striped afghan.

Cotton Candy

Continued from page 10

[sk next dc, **hdc shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in next dc, sk next dc, sl st in next dc] across, ending in 2nd dc from next corner sp, sk last st before corner sp**, **corner hdc shell** *(see Special Stitches)* in corner sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 2nd ch of beg ch-2. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: Join white in any corner ch-2 sp, beg dc shell in same ch sp, *sk next hdc, dc in next hdc, 2 tr in next sl st, [2 dc in ch-1 sp of next hdc shell, 2 tr in next sl st] across to next corner hdc shell, sk first 2 hdc of corner hdc shell, dc in next hdc**, dc shell in corner sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3.

Rnd 5: Rep rnd 2.

Rnd 6: Join periwinkle in any corner ch-2 sp, ch 3, 7 dc in same ch sp, *ch 1, sk next 2 dc, **fpsc** *(see Stitch Guide)* around top of next dc, [ch 1, sk next 2 dc, 5 dc in next dc, ch 1, sk next 2 dc, fpsc around top of next dc] across, ending with last fpsc worked around top of 3rd dc from next corner sp, ch 1, sk next 2 dc**, 8 dc in corner sp, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off. CW

Pineapples

Continued from page 34

Row 7: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, [sc in next ch sp, ch 3] 4 times, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 8: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, [sc in next ch sp, ch 3] 3 times, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 9: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, [sc in next ch sp, ch 3] twice, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 10: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, sc in next ch sp, ch 3, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 11: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, sk next ch sp, sc in next sc, ch 3, sk next ch sp, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Row 12: Ch 3, shell in ch sp of first shell, ch 3, shell in ch sp of last shell, turn.

Rows 13–132: [Rep rows 3–12 consecutively] 12 times. At end of last row, fasten off. CW

Waves of Color Cowl

Continued from page 38

Row 5: Ch 3, dc in first dc, *working in back lps, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn.

Row 6: Ch 3, dc in first dc, *working in front lps, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, changing color to naturally in last st, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. Fasten off deep taupe.

Row 7: Ch 3, dc in first dc, *working in back lps, dc in each of next 3 dc, cl, dc in each of next 3 dc, 3 dc in next dc, rep from * across to last 3 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, changing color to deep taupe in last st, 2 dc in 3rd ch of beg ch-3, turn. Fasten off naturally.

Rows 8–19: [Rep rows 5–7 consecutively] 4 times. Do not change colors at end of last row. Fasten off both colors.

Weave in all ends.

FINISHING

With tapestry needle and matching yarn, sew side seam. CW

Cat Fishing Pole

Continued from page 61

Last rnd: Rep rnd 2, join in first st. Leaving long end for weaving, fasten off.

FINISHING

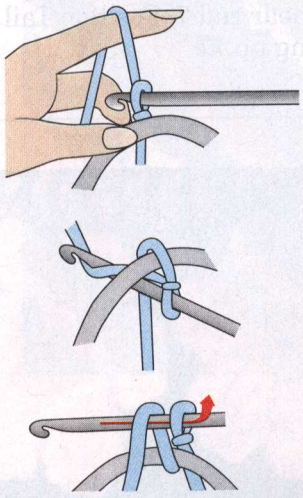
Weave end through sts of last rnd, pull tight, secure end.

Apply a small amount of glue to each end to hold Casing in place.

WIGGLE WORM

Make 1 each blue, lilac, light blue & aqua.

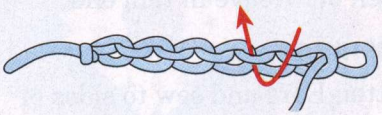
Sl st around plastic ring *(see illustration)*, ch 32, 3 sc in 2nd ch from hook, 3 sc in each ch across, sl st around ring. Fasten off.



Slip Stitch Around Plastic Ring

FISHING LINE

Join natural with sl st around 2 sts on Casing 1 inch from 1 end, ch 150, mark last ch made, ch 72 *(222 chs total)*, working over plastic ring, work 8 sc in ring, [pull 1 Wiggle Worm up next to last st made in ring, ch 1, in back of Wiggle Worm, work 2 sc in ring] 3 times, pull last Wiggle Worm up next to last sc, ch 1, work 8 sc in ring, do not join, sl st in **back bar** *(see illustration)* of each of next 222 chs. Leaving long end, fasten off.



Back Bar of Chain

Weave long end through Casing at beg and around dowel several times, secure end.

BOBBIN

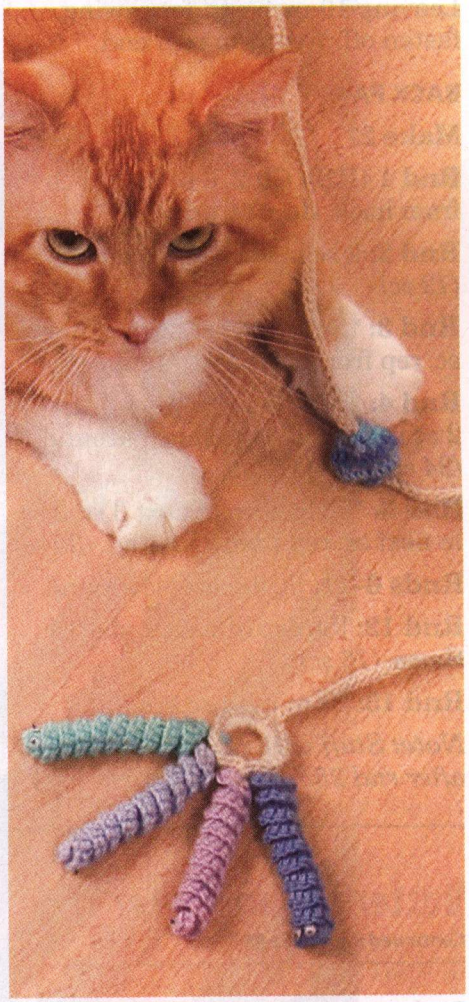
Tie 4 jingle bells on Fishing Line at marked ch, forming circle of bells around line.

Rnd 1: With blue variegated, ch 5, holding ch around Fishing Line under bells, sl st in first ch to form ring, ch 1, 5 sc in ring, **do not join rnds**. *(5 sc)*

Rnds 2 & 3: 2 sc in each st around. *(20 sc at end of last rnd)*

Rnd 4: Sc in each st around.

Rnd 5: [**Sc dec** *(see Stitch Guide)* in next 2 sts] around. *(10 sc)*



Rnd 6: Insert bells into Bobbin, [sc dec in next 2 sts] 5 times, join with sl st in beg sc. Leaving long end for weaving, fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave long end through sts of last rnd, pull tight. Secure end. CW

Scaredy-Cat Doorstop

Continued from page 82

FRONT PAW

Make 2.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnds 4–8: Sc in each sc around.

Leaving 10-inch end for sewing, fasten off. Weave in rem end.

BACK PAW

Make 2.

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**.

Rnd 2: 2 sc in each sc around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 3: *Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnd 4: *Sc in each of next 2 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(24 sc)*

Rnd 5: *Sc in each of next 3 sc, 2 sc in next sc, rep from * around. *(30 sc)*

Rnds 6–11: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 12: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] 15 times. *(15 sc)*

Rnd 13: Sc in each sc around.

***Note:** Stuff with fiberfill here and after rnd 25.*

Rnds 14–19: Sc in each of next 8 sc, sl st in each of next 7 sts.

Rnd 20: *Sc in each of next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, rep from * around. *(18 sc)*

Rnds 21–25: Sc in each sc around.

Rnd 26: *Sc in next sc, sc dec in next 2 sts, rep from * around. *(12 sc)*

Rnd 27: [Sc dec in next 2 sts] 6 times. *(6 sc)*

Finish off and weave in ends.

Stuff with additional fiberfill.

TAIL

Rnd 1 (RS): Ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **do not join**.

Rnd 2: [Sc in next sc, 2 sc in next sc] 3 times. *(9 sc)*

Rnds 3–28: Sc in each sc.

Leaving a 10-inch end for sewing, fasten off. Weave in rem end.

FINISHING

Flatten Ears and sew to sides of Head near rnd 9.

Referring to photo for placement, sew Head to Body near rnds 20–28 so that when the Body is standing up, the Head is near the bottom.

When creating crease in Back Paw, tack foot section of Back Paw to leg section of Back Paw by bending Back Paw at rnd 14 and sewing rnd 13 to rnd 20 for about 4 sts.

Using rem length, sew each Front Paw to Body next to Head. Sew each Back Paw to Body so that one Back Paw touches each Front Paw.

Flatten Tail and sew to back of Body near rnd 7. Position Tail pointing up. CW

Butterfly Bag Holder

Continued from page 85

Body

Rep Body of First Butterfly.

DAISY

Make 6.

Rnd 1: With butter, ch 3, sl st in 3rd ch from hook ch to form ring, ch 1, 6 sc in ring, join in beg sc. Fasten off. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Join white in first st, ch 3, (2 tr, ch 3, sl st) in same st, (sl st, ch 3, 2 tr, ch 3, sl st) in each rem st around, join in beg sl st. Fasten off.

FINISHING

Sew Daisies and Butterflies to Bag Holder as shown in photo. CW

Eye Dazzler Afghan

Continued from page 97

(corner), sc in next dc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, rep between †† 24 times, sc in each of next 2 dc, dc in each of next 3 dc, 2 sc in next ch-3 sp, rep between †† 25 times†, 3 sc in next dc *(corner)*, rep between † once, join in joining sc.

Rnd 2: Ch 1, sc in same sc, *3 sc in next sc *(corner)*, sc in each sc across to center 3-dc group, dc in each of next 3 dc, sc in each sc across 2nd sc of next corner, rep from * twice, 3 sc in next sc *(corner)*, sc in each sc across to first sc, join in first sc.

Rnd 3: Ch 1, **reverse sc** *(see Stitch Guide)* in each sc, join in first reverse sc.

Fasten off and weave in ends. CW

Rainbow Stripe Afghan

Continued from page 99

BORDER

Rnd 1 (RS): Hold piece with RS facing, join light scrap color in any sp between groups, **beg corner** *(see Special Stitches)* in same sp as join, *sk next V-st group or sp, V-st between next 2 groups, rep from * across to next corner, **corner** *(see Special Stitches)* in next corner, **sk next V-st group or sp, V-st between next 2 groups, rep from ** across to next corner, corner in next corner, ***sk next V-st group or sp, V-st between next 2 groups, rep from *** across to next corner, corner in next corner, ****sk next V-st group or sp, V-st between next 2 groups, rep from **** across to beg ch-4, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 2: Join dark scrap color in any corner ch-3 sp, beg corner in same sp, working around sides, V-st in ch-1 sp of each V-st around, work corner and in each corner ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4.

Rnd 3: Sl st in next ch-1 sp, beg corner in same sp as sl st, working around sides, V-st in ch-1 sp of each V-st around, working corner in each corner ch-3 sp, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-4. Fasten off.

Rnd 4: Join light scrap color in ch-3 sp of any corner, working from left to right, (**reverse sc**—*see Stitch Guide*, ch 4, reverse sc) in same sp as joining, *reverse sc in next ch-1 sp, ch 2, rep from * around, working (reverse sc, ch 4, reverse sc) in each rem corner ch-3 sp, join in first reverse sc. Fasten off. Weave in all ends. CW

Slanted Stripes Afghan

Continued from page 101

in side of same sp, working in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each row to row 4, dc corner in first dc of row 4, working across bottom edge in sps at end of rows, 2 dc in each of next 4 rows, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Weave in ends.

ASSEMBLY

Note: *Row 1 of each Strip should be at bottom of Afghan.*

Strip 1

Hold Strip with RS facing and one short end at top, join black with sc in ch-1 sp in upper right-hand corner, **beg corner** *(see Special Stitches)*, *†ch 3, working in sp between 3-dc groups, (sc, ch 3) in each sp across to next corner†, **sc corner** *(see Special Stitches)* in next corner ch-1 sp, rep from * twice, rep between † once, join in joining sc. Fasten off.

Strip 2

Hold Strips with WS together and row 1 to right, join black with sc in ch-1 sp of upper right-hand corner, ch 1, sc in corresponding ch-3 corner sp on prev Strip, ch 1, sc in same sp as join on working Strip, ch 1, sc in next ch-3 sp on prev Strip, ch 1, *sc in next sp on working Strip, ch 1, sc in next ch-3 sp on previous Strip, ch 1, rep from * across to next corner, (sc, ch 1, sc in corner ch-1 sp of previous Strip, ch 1, sc) in next corner ch-1 sp, **ch 3, (sc, ch 3) in each sp across to next corner, corner in corner ch-1 sp, rep from ** once, ch 3, (sc, ch 3) in each sp across to joining sc, join in joining sc.

Strips 3–10

Work in same manner as Strip 2.

EDGING

Hold Afghan with RS facing you, join black with sl st in any corner ch-3 sp, (ch 3, 2 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in same sp as joining, *2 dc in each ch-3 sp to next corner, (3 dc, ch 1, 3 dc) in corner ch-3 sp, rep from * twice, 2 dc in each ch-3 sp across to beg ch-3, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Weave in all ends. CW

Scrap Afghan

Continued from page 102

Rows 63 & 64: With cafe, rep rows 7 and 8.

Rows 65 & 66: With dark sage, rep rows 5 and 6.

Rows 67–154: [Rep rows 23–66 consecutively] twice.

Rows 155–176: Rep rows 23–44. At end of last row, fasten off.

BORDER

Holding Afghan with RS facing, join delft blue in top right-hand corner, ch 1, sc in each sc across to next corner, ch 2 *(corner)*, working across next side, sc in end of each row to next corner, ch 2 *(corner)*, working across next side in unused lps of foundation ch, sc in each lp across to next corner, ch 2 *(corner)*, working across next side, sc in end of each row to next corner, ch 2 *(corner)*, join in beg sc. Fasten off. CW

Granny Square Scarf

Continued from page 39

Beginning treble crochet cluster (beg tr cl): Ch 4 *(see Pattern Notes)*, holding back last lp of each st on hook, 3 tr in same st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

Treble crochet cluster (tr cl): Holding back last lp of each st on hook, 4 tr in next st, yo, pull through all lps on hook.

SCARF

MOTIF

Make 11.

Rnd 1: With tan, ch 2, 6 sc in 2nd ch from hook, **join** *(see Pattern Notes)* in beg sc. *(6 sc)*

Rnd 2: Beg dc cl *(see Special Stitches)* in first st, ch 3, [**dc cl** *(see Special Stitches)* in next st, ch 3] around, join in beg dc cl. Fasten off. *(6 dc cls)*

Rnd 3: Join blue in any ch sp, (**beg tr cl**—*see Special Stitches*, ch 3, **tr cl**—*see Special Stitches*) in same ch sp, ch 3, [(tr cl, ch 3, tr cl) in next ch sp, ch 3] around, join in beg tr cl. Fasten off. *(12 tr cls, 12 ch sps)*

Rnd 4: Join dark brown in any ch sp, ch 3, 2 dc in same ch sp, *hdc in next tr cl, 2 sc in next ch sp, sc in next tr cl, 3 sc in next ch sp, hdc in next tr cl**, (3 dc, ch 2, 3 dc) in next ch sp *(corner)*, rep from * around, ending last rep at **, 3 dc in first ch sp worked in, ch 3, join in 3rd ch of beg ch-3. Fasten off.

Rnd 5: Join blue with sc in any st, sc in each st around with 3 sc in each corner ch sp, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

Rnd 6: Join dark brown with sc in first st, sc in each st around, with 3 sc in each center corner st, join in beg sc. Fasten off.

ASSEMBLY

Sew Motifs tog, forming long strip.

FRINGE

Cut 4 strands, each 16 inches long, of both blue and dark brown. Holding all strands tog, fold in half, pull fold through st, pull ends through fold. Pull to tighten.

Attach 5 Fringe evenly spaced across each short end. CW

Saucy Scrap Scarf

Continued from page 30

Rows 15–22: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to naturally in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 23–26: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 27 & 28: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 29 & 30: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to naturally in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 31 & 32: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 33–39: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 40–44: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to naturally in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 45–48: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Rows 49–56: Ch 1, sc in each sc across, changing color to next scrap color in last sc of last row, turn.

Next rows: [Rep rows 3–56 consecutively] 6 times, ending last rep with row 8.

Next 3 rows: Ch 1, sc in each sc across. At end of last row, fasten off.

FINISHING

Weave in all ends. CW

Skill Levels

BEGINNER
Beginner projects for first-time crocheters using basic stitches. Minimal shaping.

EASY
Easy projects using basic stitches, repetitive stitch patterns, simple color changes, and simple shaping and finishing.

INTERMEDIATE
Intermediate projects with a variety of stitches, mid-level shaping and finishing.

EXPERIENCED
Experienced projects using advanced techniques and stitches, detailed shaping and refined finishing.

STANDARD YARN WEIGHT SYSTEM

Categories of yarn, gauge ranges, and recommended hook sizes.

Yarn Weight Symbol & Category Names	0 LACE	1 SUPER FINE	2 FINE	3 LIGHT	4 MEDIUM	5 BULKY	6 SUPER BULKY
Type of Yarns in Category	Lace	Sock, Fingering, Baby	Sport, Baby	DK, Light Worsted	Worsted, Afghan, Aran	Chunky, Craft, Rug	Super Chunky, Roving
Crochet Gauge* Ranges in Single Crochet to 4 inches	32–42 sts	21–32 sts	16–20 sts	12–17 sts	11–14 sts	8–11 sts	5–9 sts
Recommended Hook–Metric Size Range	1.50–2.25mm	2.25–3.5mm	3.5–4.5mm	4.5–5.5mm	5.5–6.5mm	6.5–9mm	9mm and larger
Recommended Hook–U.S. Size Range	Steel 8–B/1	B/1–E/4	E/4–7	7–I/9	I/9–K/10½	K/10½–M/13	M/N/13 and larger

*Guidelines only: The above reflect the most commonly used gauges and hook sizes for specific yarn categories.

Buyer's Guide

Caron
NaturallyCaron.com Country; NaturallyCaron.com Spa
Customer Service
P.O. Box 222
Washington, NC 27889
www.naturallycaron.com

Cascade Yarns
Fixation
www.cascadeyarns.com

Coats & Clark
Aunt Lydia's Classic Crochet Thread; TLC Essentials
Consumer Services
P.O. Box 12229
Greenville, SC 29612-0229
(800) 648-1479
www.coatsandclark.com

Lion Brand Yarn
Microspun
135 Kero Road
Carlstadt, NJ 07072
(800) 258-YARN (9276)
www.lionbrand.com

Omega
Dist. by Creative Yarn Source
Sinfonia
6278 Youngland Drive
Columbus, OH 43228
(614) 205-3210
www.creativeyarnsource.com

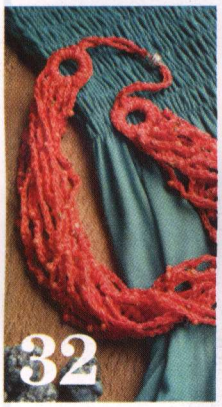
Plymouth Yarn
Encore Worsted
500 Lafayette St.
Bristol, PA 19007
(215) 788-0459
www.plymouthyarn.com

Premier Yarns
Deborah Norville Everyday Soft Worsted
284 Ann St.
Concord, NC 28025
(704) 786-1155
www.premieryarns.com

Red Heart Yarns
Super Saver; Luster Sheen; Fiesta; Smoothie; Classic
P.O. Box 12229
Greenville, SC 29612-0229
www.redheart.com

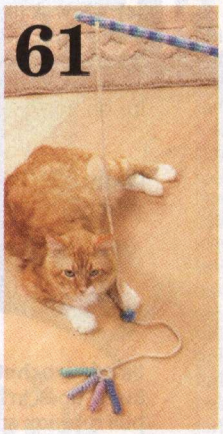
Spinrite
Patons Astra; Patons Grace
320 Livingstone Ave. S.
Listowel, ON N4W 3H3 Canada
(888) 368-8401
www.patonsyarns.com

Design Directory



54

58


61

62

63

64

66

68

70

74

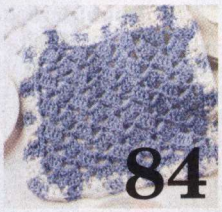
76

78

67

80

82


84

89

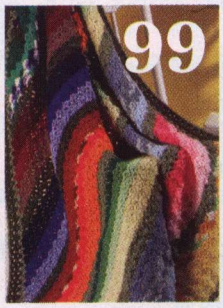
85

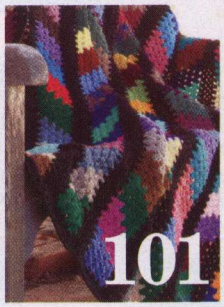
94

96

92

102


99


101

STITCH GUIDE

FOR MORE COMPLETE INFORMATION, VISIT **FREEPATTERNS.COM**

STITCH ABBREVIATIONS

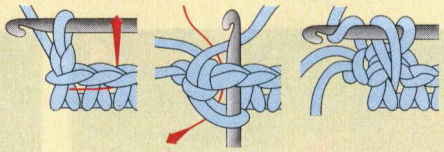
beg	begin/begins/beginning
bpdc	back post double crochet
bpsc	back post single crochet
bptr	back post treble crochet
CC	contrasting color
ch(s)	chain(s)
ch-	refers to chain or space previously made (i.e., ch-1 space)
ch sp(s)	chain space(s)
cl(s)	cluster(s)
cm	centimeter(s)
dc	double crochet (singular/plural)
dc dec	double crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
dec	decrease/decreases/decreasing
dtr	double treble crochet
ext	extended
fpdc	front post double crochet
fpsc	front post single crochet
fptr	front post treble crochet
g	gram(s)
hdc	half double crochet
hdc dec	half double crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
inc	increase/increases/increasing
lp(s)	loop(s)
MC	main color
mm	millimeter(s)
oz	ounce(s)
pc	popcorn(s)
rem	remain/remains/remaining
rep(s)	repeat(s)
rnd(s)	round(s)
RS	right side
sc	single crochet (singular/plural)
sc dec	single crochet 2 or more stitches together, as indicated
sk	skip/skipped/skipping
sl st(s)	slip stitch(es)
sp(s)	space(s)/spaced
st(s)	stitch(es)
tog	together
tr	treble crochet
trtr	triple treble
WS	wrong side
yd(s)	yard(s)
yo	yarn over

YARN CONVERSION

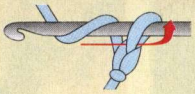
OUNCES TO GRAMS		GRAMS TO OUNCES	
1	28.4	25	⅞
2	56.7	40	1⅔
3	85.0	50	1¾
4	113.4	100	3½

UNITED STATES		UNITED KINGDOM
sl st (slip stitch)	=	sc (single crochet)
sc (single crochet)	=	dc (double crochet)
hdc (half double crochet)	=	htr (half treble crochet)
dc (double crochet)	=	tr (treble crochet)
tr (treble crochet)	=	dtr (double treble crochet)
dtr (double treble crochet)	=	ttr (triple treble crochet)
skip	=	miss

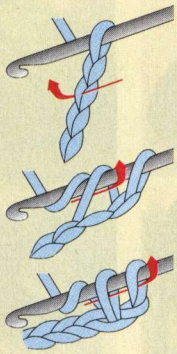
Reverse single crochet (reverse sc): Ch 1, sk first st, working from left to right, insert hook in next st from front to back, draw up lp on hook, yo, and draw through both lps on hook.



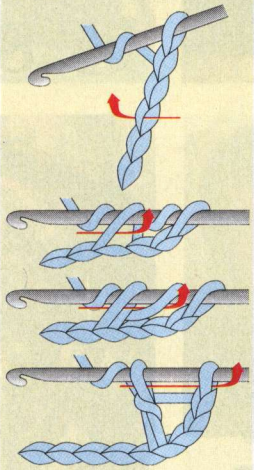
Chain (ch): Yo, pull through lp on hook.



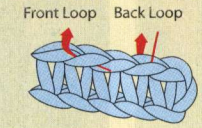
Single crochet (sc): Insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through both lps on hook.



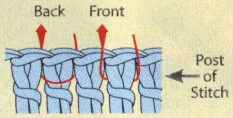
Double crochet (dc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] twice.



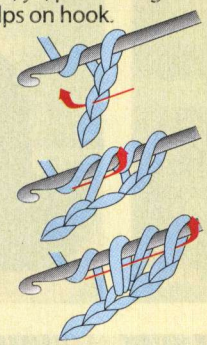
Front loop (front lp)
Back loop (back lp)



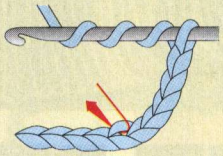
Front post stitch (fp):
Back post stitch (bp): When working post st, insert hook from right to left around post of st on previous row.



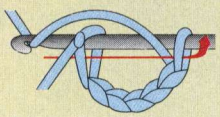
Half double crochet (hdc): Yo, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, yo, pull through all 3 lps on hook.



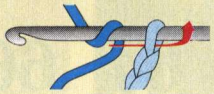
Double treble crochet (dtr): Yo 3 times, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] 4 times.



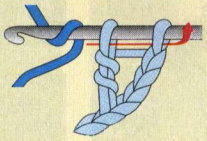
Slip stitch (sl st): Insert hook in st, pull through both lps on hook.



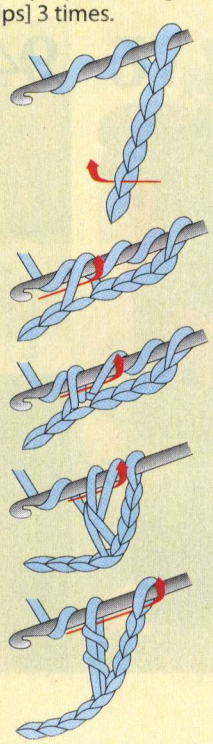
Chain color change (ch color change) Yo with new color, draw through last lp on hook.



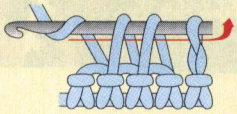
Double crochet color change (dc color change) Drop first color, yo with new color, draw through last 2 lps of st.



Treble crochet (tr): Yo twice, insert hook in st, yo, pull through st, [yo, pull through 2 lps] 3 times.

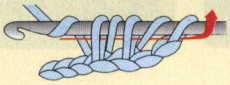


Single crochet decrease (sc dec): (Insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



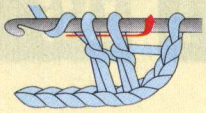
Example of 2-sc dec

Half double crochet decrease (hdc dec): (Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



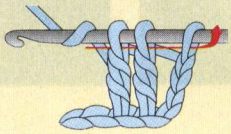
Example of 2-hdc dec

Double crochet decrease (dc dec): (Yo, insert hook, yo, draw lp through, yo, draw through 2 lps on hook) in each of the sts indicated, yo, draw through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-dc dec

Treble crochet decrease (tr dec): Holding back last lp of each st, tr in each of the sts indicated, yo, pull through all lps on hook.



Example of 2-tr dec